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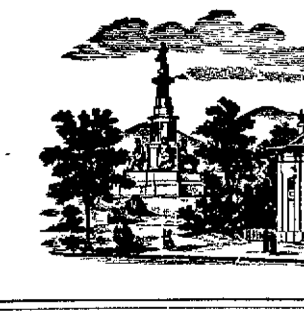

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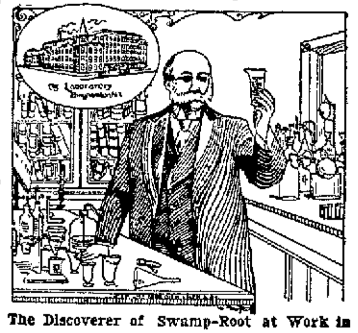

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LETTER FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

"Al" McCullough Writes Another Interesting Letter.

CHRISTMAS,
LAS PINAS, P. I., Dec. 25, '99.

DEAR MOTHER:—

Having nothing to do to-day I thought I would write you a few lines to let you know how things are going on at the "front."

Well, to-day is the first time I can say I have had enough to eat since I left Presido. We had a swell dinner, consisting of canned oysters, made into a pot-pie, corn, tomatoes, rice pudding, coffee, bread and a pint bottle of beer, a pretty warm affair with the weather thrown in at 100 degrees in the shade.

We had been planning for a long march under Gen. Lawton, who was killed last week, but I don't know now when we will go. He was the man the "niggers" feared so much and there is every reason to believe there is trouble ahead.

On Friday our out-post was fired upon, but they did not stay long because this is a pretty tough argument to go up against, this road full of infantry and the Battleships Brooklyn and Oregon lying a few hundred yards out in the bay, for if they would have stayed long those two boats would have cleaned the country.

If any one wants to see what Dewey did they ought to see this line and the bay. Four of us started out this A. M. to visit one of the wrecks near Cavite on a bamboo raft. All went well until the tide struck us, then we nearly drowned, so we put off the visit until a later day.

This is the native's rice harvest period, and they are having a great time. They have a band here and every morning since the 15th they have had church at 4 m. The first morning we were awakened to the tune of "There will be a hot time in the old town to-night," and the streets were filled with kids with lanterns. Last night they kept it up all night.

I got a letter from Clint Tate that went about 22,000 miles to reach me, to Gettysburg and back here, and he is only about 20 miles from here. I received some books from Will that came in very handy, as the only pleasure one has here is to lie in the shade and read when you are off of guard.

Everybody was sorry to hear of Gen. Lawton's death, and after this feast here you will see some fun, because the niggers will get bolder. He was killed about ten miles from here.

I guess till I get back to Gettysburg it will be quite a bustling town. Well, as I am on guard to-night, after "hitting" the sick report for 4 days, I will close. Tell everybody I am still kicking. With love to all I will stop, hoping all are well and enjoying the holidays,

I remain your loving son,
"AL."

Co. E, 28th Regiment; U. S. V.,
MANILA, P. I.

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Gied me her promise true,
Which ne'er forgot will be!
And for bonnie Annie Laurie
I'd lay me doun and dee!"

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Her throat is like the swan,
Her face, it is the fairest
That e'er the sun shone on;
That e'er the sun shone on,
And dark blue are her ee,
And for bonnie Annie Laurie
I'd lay me doun and dee;

"Like dew on the gowan falling
Is the fa' o' her fairy feet,
Like winds in the summer sighing,
Her voice is low and sweet"—

Their eyes met. The girl felt that he was singing to her and a thrill penetrated to her inmost soul. Her eyes did not fall, but something in their clear depths responded to his appeal, and the last lines rang out with passionate tenderness and deep meaning:

"Her voice is low and sweet,
And she's a' the world to me;
And for bonnie Annie Laurie
I'd lay me doun and dee!"

The song ended abruptly. Arnold wheeled round from the piano. He wanted to leap over it to the side of the girl who had so moved him, but the room was full of people, and he waited quietly until she could be introduced to him.

She was the daughter of his host. Her name, which should have been Annie, was Grace. It was just as well. She was grace personified. He put her hand on his arm and led her out to the moonlit porch. Not many words passed between them. They understood each other without words, these two. Their courtship had been music. Grace said afterward that she had been wooed and won in a song.

Like a poem their love story glided on. They were married, and not the slightest cloud darkened the sky of her happiness, which they thought was perfect until the coming of their little girl taught them the mystery of perfection within perfection.

They called the little one Annie Laurie and watched her growth with endless delight.

Then the wondrous music ceased; henceforth the strains were in a sobbing minor key. Arnold died and his widow bowed her head. She was content, she said; she had had a lifetime's happiness concentrated into two perfect years. And so she held her little girl close nor dreamed that she had yet to complete her lesson and learn that there was a sorrow within a sorrow.

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It was a summer night, and little Annie Laurie was playing in the great parlor, with the moonlight streaming in through the open windows. Her mother sat at the piano singing, as she had so often sung before, "Annie Laurie."

What memories that song held for her! It was their song, his and hers, and it seemed to bring him closer to the heart whose yearning never ceased.

Here he had sat when she had seen him first. How his voice had thrilled, and how her heart had responded! And here he had sat times without number since that first night and looked across at her with the lovelight in his eyes.

And now she sat alone singing his song to comfort her sore heart. Her sweet plaintive voice filled the parlor with its penetrating sadness.

The child listened and forgot to play. She knew that it was Annie Laurie, and her mamma sang it to her often. When her mother's head dropped forward on the piano, the little one stole quietly out through the open window and wandered down the road. She trotted on a long, long way. Her little feet grew very tired, and the big sobs began to come.

Suddenly a woman sprang from the roadside and clasped the child in her arms.

"My little Laura! I knew the good Lord would send you back to me! I knew he wouldn't take away the only thing I've got in the world. My little Laura."

The moonlight lit up her haggard face and wild, dark eyes, but the child did not know the meaning of fear and allowed herself to be kissed and cuddled without wonder. With trembling fingers the woman took off the child's dress and arrayed her in the little garments she had been pressing to her bosom a few moments before.

Then she went on her way in feverish haste, carrying in her arms the now sleeping child. They journeyed far that night and the next day, getting lifts on their way in farmers' carts and market wagons. The woman guarded the child with jealous care, and if she acted strangely each man preferred to leave his neighbor investigate the case.

By nightfall of the second day the woman fell in the doorway of a farmhouse and could go no farther. She told an incoherent story. She had been sick and had run away from her husband, who had beaten her, and her little girl. Laura died, but the Lord had given her back again. They saw that she was quite insane with fever and suffering and when she died a few days later they buried her in the little graveyard without much further inquiry.

The child cried for her mamma and said her name was "Lollie." Poor little waif! The farmer and his wife kept her and she grew up with their own children.

She was a lonely little creature, delicately made, different from the sturdy farmer's children, who looked down on her with a wee bit of condescension that was full of pain to her sensitive soul.

Often she placed flowers on the unmarked grave in the little hillside graveyard, but very early she came to think that the woman who slept beneath was not her mother. The strange question, "Who am I?" filled her childish heart.

She bore not the slightest resemblance to the dark eyed, large featured face of the portrait the woman had worn and which the farmer's wife said was a likeness of the poor creature. And furthermore, she could not remember that face at all, whereas just out of reach floated another face, a vague, illusive memory, that she seemed to know and yet could never grasp and hold. Something, something she could almost remember of her life before coming to the farm, but the dark eyed woman had no place there.

She questioned the farm people. Yes, they said, considering everything, perhaps she was right. She certainly did not look like the woman's child, the poor thing had unquestionably been crazy, the fine cambric dress in the bundle did not match the coarser one she had worn, perhaps she was right in thinking she was some one else's child. But then it was only barely possible, and it had all been so long ago now, better let things stay as they are, she had a good home and kind friends. So said the people.

But Laura was not satisfied. She sang in the church choir, and at 15 her pretty face and fresh young voice attracted the attention of a "summer boarder," which species was rather rare in that out-of-the-way locality. This was a spare, sharp voiced, elderly lady, who immediately proceeded to have Laura engaged to her as a sort of companion.

It was a great advance for the girl She studied music, traveled a great deal with her benefactress and mingled with people of culture. Yet at best it was a lonely, loveless existence and rather a trying one, combining as it did the offices and duties of maid, companion and daughter. Mrs. Farnham admired the slim grace of the girl and delighted in her voice and was fond of her in a way, but it was a cold, querulous, patronizing way that was very bitter at times to poor Annie Laurie.

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One summer evening their train was delayed at a way station, and they stopped at the hotel for the night. Mrs. Farnham retired after slight refreshment, but Laura, filled with the vague restlessness that comes to young things beneath the vastness of the moonlit heavens, stepped out into the night.

She had thrown a light shawl over her head, and with a sense of freedom and dreamy delight began walking rapidly through the quiet, grassy streets, and along the fragrant lanes, and then down the wide silent road whose trees cast somber shadows across its brightness.

A light streamed out from the west windows of a fine old mansion half hidden in its grove of maples, and Laura leaned her arms on the gate and looked over at it.

Little did she dream that this was the gate through which she had toddled 16 years ago on a journey which had never brought her home again. She looked at the moonlit lawn where she had played so often, at the old house that was her own, but never a thrill stirred her heart, never a whisper of the truth came to her through the night. By and by she turned and went on.

It was growing late, and with a sudden remembrance of Mrs. Farnham she began to retrace her steps and wondered how far she had strayed.

Just in front of the old mansion a sound arrested her, and she paused in the road. It was a chord struck on an old piano in the lighted west room. Presently a voice joined the music, a voice of such unutterable pathos and yearning that it came through the night like a cry.

It was "Annie Laurie," the tender old love song, and the girl in the moonlight listened spellbound. Strange memories crowded around her, shadowy forms and faces and long forgotten words. It seemed as if the mists were rolling away; slowly, slowly, things were growing clearer.

Fascinated she moved forward across the lawn to the open windows, as if drawn by the Lorelei song. She saw a slight, gray haired woman sitting at the old piano with her back to the window, and then she stepped over the low sill into the room.

How strangely familiar, like a dimly remembered dream! Surely, surely, that quaint, carved armchair; surely she remembers that chair! The little white, wooly lamb in the corner why, that was her lamb.

The music throbs in her brain, rising, falling; ah, she has heard that before; it is the music that brings it all back to her, that song is part of her very being. Why, she is Annie Laurie!

On a silver thread of music the scattered pearls of memory are being strung until at last they form a perfect chain. Over and over again comes the touching refrain bearing such a world of sorrow and yearning and resignation.

"Her voice is low and sweet,
And she is all the world to me;
And for bonnie Annie Laurie
I'd lay me doun and dee!"

Softly the words die away, and slowly the gray head drops until it rests upon the piano. Then like a lightning flash memory bridges the gulf of years, and with a great cry the girl flings herself at the woman's feet.

"Mother, mother!"

They hold each other close and never a doubt comes to either, for Mrs. Arnold sees her dead husband in the features of the girl before her, and her sore tried heart finds peace.

What need to bring out the counterpart of the little cambric dress, or to trace the lost child's journey step by step? That is all done by and by, but to-night they want only each other.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

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RURAL MAIL DELIVERY

Some of the Advantages—It is yet in an Experimental Stage.

The reports emanating from the Post Office Department, as well as the debates that have taken place in Congress in the last few days, prove that free rural mail delivery is not only practicable, but that it is most desirable, says the Phila. *North American.* In the beginning there was considerable opposition on the part of the farmers themselves, who were led to believe that in spite of assurances to the contrary there would be considerable expense attached to the system, which they would have to pay. The most persistent opposition, however, has come from the fourth-class postmasters and the proprietors of country stores who are frequently found combining the office of postmaster with their business. As a matter of course, the free delivery of mail in the country will bring about the abolition of many country offices, as well as a reduction in the pay of those that remain, and in this respect the new system will work hardship to a small class, while proving of great advantage to a large number. It has, however, been the experience of the country storekeeper, so far as the investigation has gone, that his business has not been permanently injured. In many sections it has been really increased by reason of the fact that the man delivering the mail is allowed to carry parcels, and is thus able to execute commissions for patrons living on this route.

The great advantage to the farmers and others within reach of the rural delivery lies in the fact that they are able to secure the mail promptly and surely, and there is no longer the necessity to send two or three miles for mail that may not have arrived when the errand has been made. It enables families living in remote places in the country to have served to them promptly the daily newspapers, and investigation has shown that where a free delivery route has been in operation for a short time there is a noticeable increase in the number of newspapers and magazines taken on the line, while in many sections the establishment of a postal route has resulted in earnest efforts to improve the condition of the public highways.

It is true that the whole thing is yet in an experimental stage, but the experiment has gone far enough to prove that the system will ultimately be extended to every portion of the country where the population will warrant. The methods differ in these experimental routes, and it is doubtful if it will be expedient to adopt a uniform plan for the entire country. In some sections house-to-house delivery has been tried with success, the agent having a vehicle fitted up somewhat after the manner of a postal car. In other places the mail is delivered to boxes at cross-roads and at points most convenient to farmers adjacent to the road traversed, and in either instance the delivery has given satisfaction, and is demanded as a permanent institution. So far as the question of expense is concerned, it has been found that in many cases there has been an actual gain in revenue to the government, and in the end this must be the result everywhere. For experience has shown that the extension of a privilege makes its use more common.

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

About forty members of the State Board of Agriculture attended its sessions in Harrisburg recently. In the absence of Governor [illegible] Stone, Representative Jason Sexton, of Montgomery county, and Professor S. B. Heighes, York, alternated as president of the meetings. At the morning session Dr. Armsby suggested that the board collect statistics showing the products of the creameries and cheese factories of Pennsylvania. Cyrus D. Fox, Reading, read a paper prepared by J. S. Burns, Allegheny, on "Live Stock in Western Pennsylvania," on which remarks were made by Professor Hamilton, Secretary of Agriculture; Dr. Pearson, State Veterinarian, and others.

The delegates were welcomed to the State Capitol in the afternoon by Governor Stone, who congratulated the members of the Board on the good work they had accomplished for the agricultural interests of the State. These subjects were discussed at the afternoon and evening sessions. "Whether the Broad or Narrow Way in the Business of Farming," Samuel R. Downing, West Chester; "Our Farm Garden," R. S. Weld, Sugar Grove; "Farm Economies," Major Levi Wells, Dairy and Food Commissioner; "Geological Relations of Soils," Dr. M. C. Ihlseng, State College; "Nature Study in the Public Schools," Miss Louise Miller, Cornell University; "Proof Positive that an Investment in Sociability Will Yield a Profit to Every Farmer," H. V. White, Bloomsburg; "Quick Growing Trees for Pennsylvania Forestry," Dr. J. T. Rothrock, Commissioner of Forestry; "Progressive Poultry Raising," Norris G. Temple, Pocopson. Professor Hamilton was re-elected secretary.

THE BORDER RAID BILL.

At Harrisburg recently Congressman Mahon gave out the information that the border raid claims bill, which has so often died in Congress, is now the first bill on the House calendar, and that it stands a fair show of passage after the appropriation bills at present before Congress have been disposed of.

In the meantime Congressman Mahon is doing missionary work with congressmen from other States, having already secured the promised support of Pennsylvanians in Congress. He has also been assured that if the bill passes the House the Senate committee on claims will report it favorably in a very short time, and there is already promise of its passage in the Senate.

This is the first time, the bill has ever gotten so far this early in a session. It will involve the payment of about $20,000,000 to people in the border counties who lost property when the Confederate raiders swept the North.

"TRUE goodness is like the glowworm in this, that it shines most when no eyes except those of heaven are upon it."

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

An original pension of $8 has been granted Catharine Harget, widow of Adam Harget, formerly of Union township.

Rev. Orville V. Long, of near Abbottstown, returned recently from Harper's Ferry, Virginia, where he had been conducting a protracted meeting for the past two weeks in the German Baptist Church. As a result of his work, he baptized and received into the church twenty-nine members.

Miss Mary A. Spangler, one of Carlisle's oldest residents, died at the age of 93 years after two days illness.

A complete report of the vital statistics of Havana for 1899 has just been issued. The deaths show an apparent excess over the births of about 4000. General Ludlow says, however, that a great many births were not recorded.

The commander-in-chief and national pension committee of the Grand Army of the Republic called on the President and presented a plan for the establishment of a court of appeals in pension cases, to sit in Washington and hear cases of appeal from the decision of the Pension Bureau. It is believed by the committee that their plan would remove in a large measure the dissatisfaction felt by a large class of people with the system which has prevailed for many years. The President received the suggestions of the committee with favor.

The movement to form a fire company in the town of Hampstead, Carroll county, has resulted in a preliminary organization with ex-Sheriff J. Oliver Murray as President; Alpheus Stansbury, an ex-member of the House of Delegates, as vice president; Weldon B. Wooden, editor of the Hampstead Enterprise, as secretary, and John W. Gill as treasurer. Thirty-six citizens have indicated their intention to become members of the company.

The sale of the W. M. Railroad was freely discussed by the York Merchants' Association. A communication from the merchants and manufacturers of Hagerstown, giving a statement of the earnings of the road, was read, and on motion it was agreed to endorse the request of the Hagerstown association and petition the authorities against the sale of the road. A resolution to that effect was drawn, which the secretary was instructed to forward without delay.

The old monastery at Snow Hill, Quincy township, Franklin county, is now entirely without owners. The institution was founded in 1763 as the Monastic Society of Snow Hill, made up of Seventh Day Baptist monks and nuns, and in 1896 the last of the White Friars was buried, and the nunnery building has since been occupied only by persons caring for the property. Proceedings have now been instituted in the courts of Franklin county to escheat this property to the Commonwealth.

A wedding with a tinge of romance occurred recently at Mount Holly Spring, where J. Carter Davis, a West Virginian, was married to Miss Mary E. Sweigert. When the war broke out between the United States and Spain, Mr. Davis volunteered from West Virginia, was made a corporal of Company G, Second West Virginia Regiment, and served during the war. On its march from Camp Meade to Gettysburg the regiment camped over Sunday at Mount Holly, and it was there that Davis first met Miss Sweigert. They will reside in Harrisburg, where the groom is now employed.

The Pennsylvania Association of School Directors will hold its annual convention in the hall of the House of Representatives at Harrisburg on February 14 and 15.

The editor of the *Topeka, Kansas, Capital,* has offered to Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, author of "In His Steps", sole control of the paper for one week, beginning March 13. Rev. Sheldon will accept the offer, his object being to exemplify to the world his ideal of a christian daily. Should the experiment prove successful, it may lead to the permanent establishment of a paper of this class.

Revenue Collector Hershey has appointed Asaph Light, of Leban[illegible] deputy of the Ninth inter[illegible] district, to succeed Pier[illegible] Lesher, a Democrat, who has re[illegible]gned. The appointment is a [illegible] pill for the Quay people as L[illegible]ght is a pronounced anti-Quay man. His appointment is said to have been brought about by Dauphin county politicians.

THE CENTURY.

"The West, and Certain Literary Discoveries; or, How Fiction May be Stranger than Truth," is the title of an article appearing in the February *Century.* It is not the record of a new "discovery" of the trans-Mississippian region by an Easterner, but the assertion of the present status of the West by a representative young Westerner—E. Hough, author of "The Story of the Cow-boy." Not the least striking part of the essay is the following imaginary dialogue:

"Then, after all, your boasted West is changing, it is going. We"—triumphantly—"have discovered that."

"Yes. The West has known and wept over these changes for a score of years."

"And your cow-boy is gone."

"He is at Washington."

"And your plainsman is no more."

"He is raising a section of wheat."

"And your prospector—"

"Is in the Klondike, founding a family tree."

"And all your wild men are coming to be shorn."

"Friend, where have you slept these years?"

"Perhaps, then, a new day is, after all, dawning for the West."

"Friend, it is already noon."

TOWNE—"The art of shipbuilding has deteriorated during the last two hundred years."

Browne—"How so?"

Towne—"Well, it would be an impossibility at the present day to build a ship large enough to accommodate all the ancestors that came over on the Mayflower."

A—"WOULD you start out on a journey on Friday?"

B—"No, indeed."

A—"Why are people so superstitious?

B—"Why this has nothing to do with superstition. I get paid on Saturday."

Rope Walking At Niagara.

The man who wanted to walk across Niagara Falls on a rope was wisely restrained by the authorities. Probably he is thankful that such was the case. Death comes soon enough. Take the inroads of disease for example. Common ailments like constipation, dyspepsia, malaria, biliousness and nervousness, do much to shorten life. There is a medicine that will cure these, if taken faithfully, and that is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. See the stomach right, and good health is sure to follow. This peerless remedy has a record of over fifty years of cures to back it up. When in need of a medicine of this kind, get the old reliable Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, with a Private Revenue Stamp over the neck of the bottle.

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THE PRIMARIES.

In a recent interview Ex-Lieutenant Gov. Watres, of Lackawanna county, renewed the suggestion for a uniform day of holding the Republican primary elections throughout the Commonwealth. This would be well enough so far as the Republican party might be concerned, but it would go but a little way toward bringing about a reform of political evils and abuses in Pennsylvania, says the *Phila. Record.* It will hardly be disputed that the primaries, which lie at the base of our party systems, are the most important of our elections. If the primary elections could be purged of Machine corruption, so as to secure the nomination of honest and trustworthy citizens for office by both parties, the result of the general elections would be of much less concern. The primaries are now absolutely under the control of the party Machines, chiefly for the reason that the masses of voters deem them of little importance, and as a consequence of this neglect the people are left, as a rule, to an alternative choice between two party tickets neither of which is deserving of support. No more striking proof could be given of the results of the primaries than in the two Machine Magisterial tickets in Philadelphia. But there is no need to cite evidence on this score.

In order to remedy existing conditions the primaries should be made by law what they are in fact—the most important preliminary of choice. To this end the primaries of all parties should be held on the same day, at the same places and by the same election boards throughout the State, and the returns should be made in the same way as at the general elections. This would be a great step toward giving the primaries the importance which they deserve in our political system. In order to wreat their control from the corrupt party Machines a neglect to vote at the primary elections should be made a disqualification for a vote at the ensuing general election. It would not be necessary to vote for any of the candidates; for a blank ballot would attest the registration of the citizen. This would be in the nature of a general registration of voters, which is so sadly wanted in Pennsylvania. While thus making a personal registry, and qualifying themselves for the suffrage, the voters would at the same time and by the same act make their nominations for all offices.

THE KENTUCKY TRAGEDY.

The shooting of William Goebel, of Kentucky, will be deplored and condemned by law-abiding men in that State as well as throughout the country. The public mind in Kentucky has been inflamed by Mr. Goebel's efforts to take possession of an office now filled by a man legally elected Governor and by a corresponding display of determination to prevent him by his opponent. The attempt he was about to make, with the sanction and co-operation of a partisan majority in the Legislature, to oust the Governor returned as elected was regarded as a menace to orderly and honest government, but it did not justify the attempt at assassination. Two wrongs do not make a right, and the remedy which the assassin adopted is anarchical in the extreme.—*Balto. Sun.*

NEARLY every country newspaper that we read tells about some farmer selling his walnut trees for the purpose of having them manufactured into lumber for shipment to Germany, says an exchange. Evidently these farmers have not thought much about what these walnut trees will be worth in the near future. They will only realize this when the trees are gone and the prices of the w[illegible] double twenty or thirty times. that [illegible] walnut trees. Keep them don't sell you[illegible] they are not only good on your farm. Th[illegible] in price which for fruit but the increase [illegible] years will we are sure to realize in after [illegible] the sum more than pay the interest on [illegible] paid you now for them.

EVER since Secretary Root announced that he would not take the second place on the Republican ticket the best informed public men have believed that Governor Roosevelt would be nominated with President McKinley by the Philadelphia Convention.

CONGRESS.

The following is among the business transacted by Congress during the week:

The Committee on Military Affairs made an adverse report upon the bill authorizing the removal of the charge of desertion from all soldiers of the civil war who had to secure an honorable discharge.

Mr. Tillman delivered a forceful and quite characteristic speech on the Philippine question, in which he maintained that this Government ought to extend to the Filipinos the right to govern themselves, the United States guarding them against the aggression of other nations.

The bill for the reorganization and improvement of the Weather Bureau, which includes pensioning disabled and aged employes of the service, was side-tracked Thursday in the House by a vote of 57 to 73, and its opponents believe this vote indicates its defeat finally.

In the Senate Thursday Mr. Pettigrew asked unanimous consent to have printed, as a public document, a statement by Aguinaldo giving a history of the revolt of the Filipinos against the Spaniards. He said it was a document of great interest to the Senate and to the country, but on objection, the question went over.

Mr. Hoar offered a resolution directing the Committee on Rules to consider whether some suitable plan could not be adopted for the enlargement of the Capital, and providing for the transaction of public business other than legislative business; also that there may be sufficient space reserveb for convenient transaction of the business of the two Houses of Congress; agreed to.

A resolution providing that on Thursday, February 22, Washington's Farewell Address be read to the Senate, in accordance with its annual custom, by Senator Foraker, was adopted.

Mr. Bacon made a speech on the Philippine question.

The pension calendar was taken up, and among the bills passed was one granting to Annie E. Brumby, mother of Admiral Dewey's flag lieutenant, $50 a month.

Resolutions were adopted calling upon the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of War for information as to the amount of money expended, and the amount for which the Government is liable, remaining unpaid, for equipments, transportation, supplies and naval operations and Philippine Islands from May 1, 1898, to November 1, 1899.

Gen. Henry Kyd Douglas, of Hagerstown, in speaking of the war in the Transvaal, said that the tactics of Gen. Stonewall Jackson are undoubtedly being used by the Boer Army, but he denied the story that General Joubert, the Boer commander, was with Jackson in the Valley of Virginia, although there was a Joubert from Louisiana, with the Confederate leader, but he is dead.

BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIP NOMINATIONS.

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ARENDTSVILLE BOROUGH.

Democratic—Burgess, A. D. Sheely; Town Council, E. F. Hartman, Harry Deardorff, A. I. Weidner; School Directors, Dr. L. R. Merriman, W. E. Wolff; Tax Collector, I. S. Orner; Auditors, B. F. Fisher 3 yrs., Geo. E. Hoffman 1 yr.; Constable, A. J. Schlosser; Judge, Lewis Carbaugh; Inspector, Robert Lerew.

Republican—Burgess, John A. Knouse, Councilmen, A. J. Bucher, Hiram C. Lady, And. J. Bittinger; Tax Collector, E. C. Smelser; Auditors, L. C. Rice 1 yr., N. J. Minter 3 yrs.; Constable, John F. Lupp; Judge, H. F. Mark; Inspector, Harry N. Trostle; School Directors, J. Calvin Thomas, J. C. D. Lower.

BENDERSVILLE BOROUGH.

Democratic—Burgess, E. L. Grammar; Town Council, S. B. Gochnaur, H. S. Cashman; School Directors, Dill Bream, Wilbie Weaver; Tax Collector, Geo. W. Weaner; Auditor, D. P. Delap; High Constable, William Sheely; Judge, D. P. Mumma; Inspector, Isaac Myers.

Republican—Burgess, James C. Wright; Councilmen, Jacob B. Routsong, W. P. Becker; School Directors, Dr. James Stover, Benjamin Hardy; Tax Collector, H. W. Elden; Auditor, John Webb; Judge, Andrew Blocher; Inspector, Geo. W. Cook; High Constable, G. H. Mummert.

BERWICK BOROUGH.

Democratic—Burgess, D. A. Miller; Town Council, A. G. Miller, 3 yrs.; John Motter, 3yrs.; H. F. Lillick, 1 yr.; School Directors, N. M. Berkheimer, John H. Flickinger; Tax Collector, Nicholas Carne; Auditor, S. K. Sowers; Judge, Geo. W. Wolf; Inspector, W. H. Miller.

Republican, by nomination papers, Burgess, Reuben Altland; Council, Daniel Deardorff 3yrs.; Jerome Border 3yrs.; Henry Mollison 1yr.; School Directors, J. J. Wolf, Solomon Slothour; Tax Collector, John M. Heltman; Auditor, N. M. Lehigh; Judge, Charles Hafer; Inspector, Chester Pearson.

CONOWAGO IND. SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Independent—School Directors, Henry Moul 3 yrs., Geo. Coulson 3 yrs., J. B. Hoover, 1 yr.; Auditor, William Butt 3 yrs., Cyrene Myers 1 yr.

EAST BERLIN BOROUGH.

Democratic—Burgess, N. B. Sprenkle; Councilmen, C. M. Spahr, John A. Hoover; Tax Collector, H. W. King; School Directors, Dr. F. C. Wolf, W. T. Spangler; Auditor L. W. Feiser; Judge, Edward Shaffer; Inspector, Harvey Dubbs.

Republican—Burgess, H. H. Ernst; Town Council, Cornelius Jacobs, J. L. Burgard; School Directors, Henry Jacobs, Andrew Bowser; Tax Collector, John Jacobs; Auditor, C. G. Chronister; Judge, A. H. McSherry; Inspector, W. C. Leib.

FREEDOM TOWNSHIP.

Democratic—Judge, A. F. White; Inspector, Isaac Howe; Supervisors, W. A. Harner; School Directors, Edwin L. Weikert, John D. Mumert; Tax Collector, John F. Kliegle; Auditor, J. Mervin Plank; Clerk, C. C. Rohrbaugh.

Republican—Judge, Daniel Sterner; Inspector, Frank E. Herr; Supervisors, Calvin Fair, Jere. Overholtzer; School Directors, John Kettel, William McNair; Tax Collector, S. G. Bigham; Auditor, L. J. Scott; Clerk, Henry Reck.

GERMANY TOWNSHIP.

Democratic—Judge, Jacob H. Harner; Inspector, Henry N. Zumbrum; Supervisors, Edw. M. Sessely, W. J. Rickrode; School Directors, Reuben D. Sheely, Eml. S. Wallick; Tax Collector, John F. Parr; Auditor, Pius L. Harner; Clerk, James H. Kelly.

Republican—Judge, Martin Stavely; Inspector, Charles R. Hesson; Supervisors, D. O. Spangler, Jacob Lansinger; School Directors, A. E. Stonesifer, Henry Mauges; Tax Collector, L. D. Mehring; Auditor, C. H. Fuckinger; Clerk, John Shoemaker.

HAMILTON TOWNSHIP.

Democratic—Judge, Samuel Strasbaugh; Inspector, Lewis Babb; School Directors, Emanuel Chronister, George Wisler; Supervisors, Henry Gulden, Michael Berkheimer; Tax Collector, Edward King; Clerk, G. Allen Yohe; Auditor, Amos Wolf.

—No Republican ticket nominated.

LITTLESTOWN BOROUGH.

Democratic—Town Council, Geo. W. Parr, William R. Robinson; School Directors, Dr. S. B. Weaver, J. Calvin Rebert; Justice of the Peace, William H. Stansbury; Auditor, Dr. H. E. Gettier; Judge, Charles W. Zercher; Inspector, J. Calvin Nau.

Republican—Burgess, S. D. Mehring; Council, George D. Basehoar, L. T. Mehring; School Directors, E. E. Taylor, Geo. F. Duttera; Justice of the Peace, Howard Blocher; Tax Collector, H. B. Zercher; Judge, A. Winton Crouse; Inspector, Herbert Sheets; Auditor, C. E. Dutterer.

McSHERRYSTOWN, 1ST WARD.

Democratic—Burgess, E. G. Topper; Councilman, Anthony Ackerman 3 yrs.; School Directors, T. C. Bunty 3 yrs., Geo. H. Weaver 3 yrs.; Tax Collector, F. X. Klunk; Auditors. I. W. Krebbs; Judge, P. A. Staub; Inspector, A. A. Small.

Republican—Burgess, Lewis Krichten; School Director, Jos. D. Keefer; Tax Collector, Wm. L. Smith; Auditor, Joseph Eline; Inspector, Joseph H. German.

McSHERRYSTOWN 2ND WARD.

Democratic—Burgess, Ezra Topper; Councilman, Jacob Smith; Tax Collector, T. X. Klunk; Auditor, I. W. Krepps; Judge, Samuel Stonesifer; Inspector, F. S. Olinger.

Republican—Burgess, Lewis Krichten; Councilman, Chas Staub; Tax Collector, William Smith; Auditor, Joseph Eline; Judge, Lewis Martin; Inspector, William Strausbaugh.

MENALLEN TOWNSHIP.

Democratic, by nomination papers, Judge, John Eppleman, Jr.; Inspector, Waybright Rice; School Directors, Elias Hoffman, Francis W. Orner; Supervisors, Eli B. Staybaugh, Andrew Rinehart; Tax Collector, Edward Bream; Auditor, Harry Brough; Clerk, T. F. Day, Sr.

Republican—Judge, William H. Griest; Inspector, William A. Black; Supervisors, Edw. Deatrick, Joseph Baldwin; School Directors, Jacob C. Smith, R. H. Lupp; Auditor, E. G. Bittinger; Clerk, S. H. Cr[illegible]m; Tax Collector, Andrew Black.

READING TOWNSHIP.

Democratic—Judge, M. D. Neidick; Inspector, Milton H. Trimmer; Justice of the Peace, George M. Livingstone; Supervisors, Jesse Albright, E. K. Wolf; School Directors, Jonas Leib, Henry Y. Chronister; Tax Collector, Peter Brown; Auditor, W. Howard Dicks; Clerk, Lewis E. Oberlander.

Republican—Judge, J. Andrew Hykes; Inspector, John Shorb; Justice of the Peace, T. S. Patterson; Supervisors, Hayden Deatrick, Daniel Bushey; School Directors, John L. Bosserman, Seright Myers; Tax Collector, Jacob Slothour; Auditor, E. C. Border; Clerk, Allen Malone.

—The nominations made in Gettysburg were published in our last issue.

Antietam battlefield will shortly see some new monuments. The Ninth Pennsylvania Regiment will erect a monument on a ledge of rocks on Cornfield avenue. The Fifteenth Massachusetts Regiment will erect one, surmounted by a lion and a bronze figure of General Kimball, and the Nineteenth and Twentieth Massachusetts will each erect a monument.

A TRIP ACROSS THE PLAINS.

HON. THEODORE McALLISTER'S ADDRESS BEFORE THE P. O. S. OF A. ON FRIDAY EVENING.

Mr. McAllister said in part:

"After having served in the Union Army almost 4 years and returning home I found my health in a somewhat shattered condition from the hardships and privations of prison life in Andersonville.

"Thinking to better my health I decided to go west. In September of '65 I left my old homestead, about 1½ miles from here, and started on my journey westward.

"Having spent a few days in Indiana and Illinois, I finally landed in St. Louis, where I spent nearly five months in a Real Estate Office.

"Being advised by a physician to get out into the open air, I accepted a position on the Missouri Pacific Railway, twisting brakes and smashing baggage.

"Finding this work not agreeable and being interested in some mining claims near Virginia City, Montana, I, as a representative of the Company, started for that place on July 21st, '66. Going to Nebraska City, Nebraska, I purchased an outfit consisting of two mules, a covered wagon and the necessaries of life for the long journey of 1100 miles, together with the best fire-arms of the time. The old merchant told me that I was the first man that ever started on a trip across the Plains without a plentiful supply of 'corn juice.' Here I also took in two young men who, though financially embarrassed, were desirous of accompanying me on my trip.

"We left Nebraska City on the 26th day of July and started westward.

"The first 400 miles were found to be rather monotonous, having no exciting incidents. Upon reaching the South Platte River, near Julesburg, we had our first excitement worthy of mention. Upon trying to cross we were detained by the treacherous quick sands, struggling all day before we reached the opposite bank.

"Rolling northwest for the North Platte we met with no incidents worthy of record until within 20 miles of Fort Laramie. Here, going into camp, we were interviewed by a big brave, who, in threatening language, demanded most of the supplies we had along. I informed him that we were peaceable palefaces and not laid in any supplies for him. Upon seeing me fill the chamber of my Winchester with cartridges he left without further ceremony. Pretty soon a large supply train drove up and went into camp along side of us, all remaining in camp over Sunday.

"Upon reaching Fort Laramie I was informed that a new route had been opened to Virginia City, thereby saving 400 miles, but the last train having rolled out two days before, the authorities informed me that it was too dangerous to try to overtake it. About midnight I slipped out, my two companions remaining behind, and on the morning of the second day I overtook the train owned by Nelson Story, containing 26 men, 17 wagons, 640 head of cattle and about 40 or 50 head of horses and mules.

"Upon my coming in sight Nelson Story, one of the roughest and yet one of the bravest and most tender hearted men I ever knew, galloped back to me and wanted to know who I was, how armed, where going and for what purpose. After giving him the information desired and showing him my arms he said 'You're good as gold, perfectly armed and we will be glad to have you join us, so we must hurry up to the train for we aren't safe here.'

"Our first incident with the Sioux Indians was on the second day after joining him. Then one of our number, who was simply an unarmed passenger, went ahead some distance in spite of the pleading of Story and we soon found his body horribly mutilated.

"During dinner I did some scouting duty and upon reaching a knoll I saw 95 Indians coming towards us. We soon formed the train into corral shape and very soon the Indians were upon us. When at a distance of about 150 yards they stopped and the two chiefs rode forward. Story and myself going out to meet them. They wanted large quantities of sugar, coffee, tobacco, etc., which we politely declined to give them, after which they departed in a sulky mood.

"After this I hooked my wagon to the rear of one of the larger ones and in company with Story did scout duty.

"About three days later we were attacked for the first time by the Indians. Four of the company and myself were in the rear and met the brunt of the attack. All but myself were down when Story came riding back at a gallop using his Winchester to good advantage and laughing and shouting as a school boy. We finally drove them off.

"We were not molested again until we were in camp on Powder river, about 3 days later, when during noon a good boy of 17 years of age and an old Texan were detailed as herders. While we were at mess the boy was murdered by a band of Indians. Story, myself and 20 others followed the band down the creek to seek vengeance for the death of this noble boy who had not only been murdered, but horribly mutilated.

"After travelling down along the river for a distance of about 11 miles we suddenly came upon the band and in a very short time we left, leaving about 30 dead warriors as a result of the good work of our Winchesters.

"On our return I had, perhaps, my most thrilling experience. While riding along we heard some loud and prolonged war cries. I volunteered to go up to the summit of a high knoll and told Story I would signal if I needed help. When partly up I discovered a large group of Indians striking for the same knoll and I decided, in order to have any chance of saving my life and that of my comrades, it would be necessary to reach the summit first and hold it. Signalling Story I started up and was fortunate enough to get there first and throwing the reins of the bridle over a bush, I found the place to be well fortified by nature for a defensive position.

"Here I waited until the band was within short pistol range. They, in order to get up, had to ride single file and with the help of my ready Winchester and pistols I picked them off one by one until they finally deemed it wise to retreat leaving behind their dead.

"We finally returned to the wagon train and then started to move on to Virginia City, arriving the next day at Fort Reno and then moved on westward."

Mr. McAllister then told of a number of hard fights they had with large bands of the Sioux tribe. At the Rosebud river they had to fight for several mornings in succession.

They then moved to Fort Phil Carney. Just west of this Fort they had to drive the Indians off for 21 mornings in succession. This was the hardest fighting they had during their trip. Passing on they went near by the now famous Custer's Fighting Ground.

They arrived in Virginia City on December 15, having lost 5 killed and all the rest wounded, with the exception of Story, Lavton and himself.

Then in company with six of his companions he went into camp at Big Hole river for the winter, during which time they had a number of exciting experiences with wild game.

In the Spring he entered the mines of Silver Bowl and Butte City and also the mines of Cariboo Gulch. He there, in company with Mr. Ritchie, opened a supply store for the miners, finally starting for Salt Lake City, where he spent the winter of '67. There he became well acquainted with leading Mormons and studied up their creed. He said it had well been pronounced the "Vilest fraud this country has ever known."

In the early spring they left with a large quantity of supplies for the distressed miners of Sweet Water mines, where flour sold at $25 per hundred pounds.

In June of '67, leaving his companion, A. B. Ritchie, with whom he had been travelling, he started for Benton City, a place of 10,000 inhabitants, mostly gamblers.

While there he had a peculiar experience which he related. "Wishing to change some gold dust for greenbacks I went into a saloon called the California. After I had looked around somewhat and was about to start out, a man wearing a high silk hat entered and asked me if he could hold religious services there. I told him I would be glad to introduce him to the proprietor, whom I had just become acquainted with, and he mis[illegible] and between did so and [illegible] Philadelphia on trains 4 and 7. [illegible] this route, from or to Gettysburg, consent [illegible] via Gettysburg Junction and the in whi[illegible] and Valley Railroad. sermo[illegible] ections for all stations on Cumberland [illegible] Railroad and Pennsylvania Railroad He, v[illegible] for t[illegible] RIDDLE, Gen'l Pass. Agent. J. F. BOYD, Supt. and v[illegible] roog[illegible]

and said 'Hain't ye forgot some thin, parson?' He said he thought not. Then the former said 'In my days we always took a collection and there ain't nothing mean about this gang and we are going to give a collection to you. Now, fellers, take up your hats and if anyone throws any mean thing in the hat let me know and I'll see to it.' He got a bandana handkerchief full of $5, $10 and $20 greenbacks. They then gave three cheers for the parson and after he, the parson, had deposited it I left him.

"I then came home and settled near here where I have farmed for nearly 30 years and am now living a retired life among you."

BUCHANAN VALLEY ITEMS.

FEB. 5.—Samuel and John Shepard, sons of John Shepard, of York Springs, visited their uncle, James Shepard, of this place, last Saturday.

Mrs. Margie Tate and sister, Miss Rose Shepard, of Philadelphia, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shepard, and other friends here and in Gettysburg.

We have had a continued cold spell of weather.

Miss Gertrude McDermott is visiting in Bonneauville and Conowago.

Joseph Sneeringer, of Bonneauville, is visiting at Hon. Francis Cole's.

Mrs. Mary Cole, wife of Hon. Francis Cole, was very pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends coming in on Thursday morning, Feb. 1, it being her birthday. They all came laden with baskets of good things for dinner, which was quickly prepared by willing hands and which all enjoyed. The day was very pleasantly spent. Those present were Joseph Sneeringer, of Bonneauville, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cole, Mrs. Annie Cole, Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien, and son Edward, Mrs. Abner Kuhn, Mrs. Theodore Kimple, Mrs. Isabella Brady, Mrs. Henry Kimple, Mrs. William Young, Mrs. John Hall Sr., Mrs. Rose McKenrick, Mrs. John Noll, Mrs. Wesley Oyler and daughter, Mrs. Peter Musser and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jere. Stover, Mr. Geo. Beck, Harry Hall, and your correspondent. Quite a number of presents were received.

Mrs. Albert Cole has gone to Baltimore on a short visit. S. C. S.

MUMMASBURG ITEMS.

FEB. 5.—Miss Effie Swope, of Biglerville, is visiting at J. Y. Hummer's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lupp and children, of Arendtsville, spent Sunday with Mrs. L's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Taylor.

Oliver P. Hart, who has been clerking in a clothing store at Panora, Iowa, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hart, this place.

Divine services in the Mennonite church Sunday 10 a. m.; Union church at 6.30 p. m.

The Literary Society will hold a meeting this Friday evening.

J. Frank Hartman left on Saturday for Washington, D. C.

The following is a report of Mummasburg School for the fifth month ending January 31, 1900:

No. enrolled, males 24, females 28; total 52. Average attendance, males 21, females 22; total 43. Per cent. of attendance, males 87, females 78; average 82½. Those in attendance every day were: Leslie Deardorff, Cletus Deardorff, Vestal Lambert, Lawrence Warren, Abora Roth, Ella Tate, Annie Hartman, Dennis Roth, Callie Hartman, Clarence Lambert, Zoe Wilson, Walter Lott, Bessie M. Trostle, Raymond Deardorff. Those that missed one day were: Amos. Longanecker, Beulah Wilson, Grace Hummer, Cora Trostle, Fannie Mickley, Eva Mickley, Bertha Mickley.

E. J. CALVIN LADY, Teacher.

AGRICULTURE IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Professor John Hamilton, State Secretary of Agriculture, last Wednesday issued advance sheets of his annual report for 1899. He says good work has been done during the year in the farmers' institutes and many interested farmers have begun researches of their own through the encouragement of the Department. Secretary Hamilton suggests a library in connection with his Department and a collection of the products of the State along farm lines in the shape of a small museum.

"The general condition of agriculture in this State compares very favorably with that of the other States of the Union," he adds. "Pennsylvania in area of improved farm land stood, in 1899, tenth among the 45 States; in the value of her lands, fences and buildings she was fourth, and in value of farm implements and machinery she was second."

"In the number of milk cows she was fifth, but in the gallons of milk she was third, and in the pounds of butter she was second. She stood tenth in amount of wheat, eleventh in corn and oats, first in rye, fourth in hay, sixth in tobacco, seventh in potatoes and ninth in apples. Taken altogether, the total value of her farm products placed her fifth among the States."

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Owing to the inclement weather Sunday evening, the Missionary meeting in the Lutheran church in Arendtsville was postponed until next Sunday evening, the 11th inst.

The heirs of John J. Albert, of Latimore township, have sold the house and lot situated in Latimore to Mary J. Albert for $850.

The old barn on the farm of G. L. Gease, of East Berlin, near Wierman's Mill, was destroyed by fire recently. Origin of fire unknown.

Chas. E. Diehl has sold his grocery and confectionery store in New Oxford to Elmer E. Freed, of Abbottstown, who will take possession April 1st.

The first indication of the coming of the seventeen-year locusts, which are due in 1902, has been noted in Carroll County, Md. Mr. Menchey is digging a well on his premises, and close to the line of a fence he found the locusts present in great numbers. He gathered a pint of them and put them in a bottle in a warm room, where they soon became very lively. The locusts were found in the earth from two and a-half to five feet below the surface, none appearing at a greater distance.

Cornelius Fitzgerald has sold his farm, in Tyrone township, to Joseph Trostle, of Huntington township, for $2,100.

John Bray, of Hagerstown, has German Bible printed in 1530 in good condition. It is illustrated with crude wood-cuts.

The Pennsylvania conference of the U. B. church will meet in its 11th session at Boiling Springs, Cumberland county, March 7, 1900, at 2 p. m.

The York National Bank, on Wednesday, Jan. 24, rounded out an honorable and successful career covering a period of 90 years.

Postmaster General Smith and Assistant Postmaster-General Madden have been perfecting a plan to sell stamps in book form. It is proposed to offer for sale two-cent stamps in books of twelve stamps at a cost of 25 cents. The book will be of a size convenient to slip into the vest pocket, with paper between the stamps, and the divisions of mail matter into [illegible] rates of postage and other information printed on the [illegible] cent charge for the [illegible] will [illegible] found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of this great Discovery at S. J. Codori's Drug Store. Only 50 cents and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. (6)

THE GOEBEL TRAGEDY.

Shots Were Fired From a Window in the Statehouse—Intense Excitement in Frankfort—Contest Board Votes to Unseat Taylor.

While walking through the capitol grounds at Frankfort, Ky., on his way to the capitol building last Tuesday morning, William Goebel, the Democratic contestant for Governor of Kentucky, was shot down and very dangerously wounded.

The bullet which struck Mr. Goebel was fired from a window in the centre of the third story of the office building just east of the capitol. That window was raised about eight inches from the sill to permit an unobstructed passage of the bullet when Mr. Goebel should come within range.

He was wounded by a rifle ball of small caliber, not over 38, which struck him in the right side just below the armpit. The ball passed through the back part of the right lung, across the body in a diagonal line, passing out below the left shoulder blade. No vital organs were injured with the exception of the right lung.

Harland Whitaker, a farmer from Butler county, the home county of Governor Taylor, was arrested charged with the crime.

Mr. Goebel though thought to be dying of the wound inflicted by an assassin, was shortly before nine o'clock Wednesday night, sworn in as Governor of Kentucky, and J. C. W. Beckham, a few minutes later, took the oath of Lieutenant Governor.

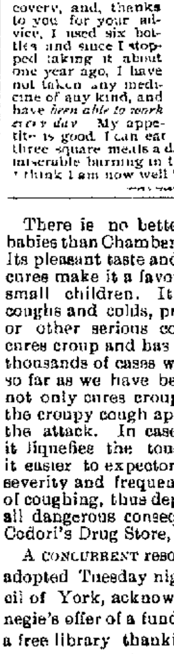
Mr. Goebel died on Sunday.

An Enjoyable Surprise.

A surprise birth-day party was given H. S. Moufort at his home in Straban township last Tuesday evening.

The evening was very enjoyably spent in pleasant conversation, music and games. At a reasonable hour refreshments were served, after which all left for their homes.

About thirty-seven guests were present. X.



When a man falls headlong from a roof, we think only of the hazardous character of his employment. It does not occur to us that thousands of men at sea or on land are hourly climbing to dizzy heights without a fear and without a fall, and that the real danger is not in the employment but in the weakening of the nerves and giving way of the muscles. That danger is just as great to the man on the sidewalk or in the office as to the man on the roof. When the stomach and the organs of digestion and nutrition are diseased the blood becomes impoverished, and nerves and muscles grow weak for lack of nutrition. More fatal diseases probably begin with "weak stomach" than with any other cause. The first symptom of disordered stomach calls for prompt use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a vegetable medicine, absolutely non-alcoholic and non-narcotic, and is unequaled for the strength it gives to blood, nerves and muscles.

"During the summer and fall of 1896," writes Chas. H. Sergeant, Esq., of Plain City, Madison Co., Ohio, "I became all run down, nerves and stomach were out of order. I wrote to Dr. Pierce for advice. He said I had general debility, and advised Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and, thanks to you for your advice, I used six bottles and since I stopped taking it about one year ago, I have not taken any medicine of any kind, and have been able to work every day. My appetite is good. I can eat three square meals a day, and I do not feel that miserable burning in the stomach after eating. I think I am now well."

There is no better medicine for the babies than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Its pleasant taste and prompt and effectual cures make it a favorite with mothers and small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds, preventing pneumonia or other serious consequences. It also cures croup and has been used in tens of thousands of cases without a single failure so far as we have been able to learn. It not only cures croup, but when given as the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. In cases of whooping cough it liquefies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate, and lessens the severity and frequency of the paroxysms of coughing, thus depriving that disease of all dangerous consequences. For sale by Codori's Drug Store, Gettysburg.

A CONCURRENT resolution of thanks was adopted Tuesday night by the city council of York, acknowledging Andrew Carnegie's offer of a fund for the foundation of a free library thanking him for it, and informing him that the matter had been referred to the Board of School Control in which power to carry out Mr. Carnegie's idea is vested in law.

"I think I would go crazy with pain were it not for Chamberlain's Pain Balm," writes Mr. W. H. Stapleton, Herminie, Pa. "I have been afflicted with rheumatism for several years and have tried remedies without number, but Pain Balm is the best medicine I ever got hold of." One application relieves the pain. For sale by Codori's Drug Store.

HAGERSTOWN has decided to have a dog show in connection with the agricultural fair next October.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY, }

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886

SEAL A. W. GLEASON, *Notary Public.*

REV. DAVID STEWART CURRIE, of the Theological Seminary at Princeton, N. J., has been elected assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of York. Rev. H. E. Niles, D. D., is pastor of the church of which Rev. Mr. Currie is assistant.

The worries of a weak and sick mother are only begun with the birth of her child. By day her work is constantly interrupted and at night her rest is broken by the wailing of the peevish, puny infant. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. It lightens all the burdens of maternity, giving to mothers strength and vigor, which they impart to their children. For over thirty years of practice Dr. Pierce and his associate staff of nearly a score of physicians have treated and cured more than half a million suffering women. Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free of charge. All correspondence is strictly private. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalid's Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

MR. DRIGGS, of New York, yesterday aweek introduced a bill giving the thanks of Congress and a gold medal to Helen Miller Gould for patriotic service during the war with Spain.

"I had dyspepsia for years. No medicine was so effective as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It gave immediate relief. Two bottles produced marvellous results," writes L. H. Warren, Albany, Wisconsin. It digests what you eat and cannot fail to cure.—For sale by L. M. Buehler.

BRANCH post-offices have been established at Manchester, Uniontown and Pleasant Valley, Carroll county, Md. Several changes have been made in the personnel of the rural delivery force.

"I had bronchitis every winter for years and no medicine gave me permanent relief till I began to take One Minute Cough Cure. I know it is the best cough medicine made," says J. Koontz, Corry, Pa. It quickly cures coughs, colds, croup, grippe and throat and lung troubles. It is the children's favorite. Cures quickly.—For sale by L. M. Buehler.

STATE BUYS FOREST LANDS.

The State Forestry Commission at a recent special meeting held at the Executive Department, Harrisburg, made some large purchases of land.

Of the lands purchased by the commission so far about 20,000 acres, are on the headwaters of the Delaware river. The remainder, about 30 000 acres are on the Susquehanna water shed. There are also in sight now, with the prospect of a speedy purchase, about 40,000 acres more, providing terms and conditions can be agreed upon. The lowest price paid was 50 cents per acre; the highest price was $2 per acre.

Governor Stone tersely stated that these reservations are to be parks and the hunting grounds of the people forever. Lawful hunting and fishing, undeniable restrictions will be allowed.

Is Baby Too Thin?

If so, there must be some trouble with its food. Well babies are plump; only the sick are thin. Are you sure the food is all right? Children can't help but grow; they must grow if their food nourishes them. Perhaps a mistake was made in the past and as a result the digestion is weakened. If that is so, don't give the baby a lot of medicine; just use your every-day common sense and help nature a little, and the way to do it is to add half a teaspoonful of

SCOTT'S EMULSION

to the baby's food three or four times a day. The gain will begin the very first day you give it. It seems to correct the digestion and gets the baby started right again. If the baby is nursing but does not thrive, then the mother should take the emulsion. It will have a good effect both upon the mother and child. Twenty-five years proves this fact.

50c. and $1.00; all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Dewitt's Witch Hazel Salve is unequalled for piles, injuries and skin diseases. It is the original Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of all counterfeits.—For sale by L. M. Buehler.

AT a meeting of the directors of the Hagerstown Agricultural Society, Tuesday afternoon, it was decided to hold the fair next fall on October 16, 17, 18 and 19. This is the week following the Frederick fair, and one week later than the Hagerstown fair was held last year.

In all stages of Nasal Catarrh there should be cleanliness. As experience proves, Ely's Cream Balm is a cleanser, soother and healer of the diseased membrane. It is not drying nor irritating, and does not produce sneezing. Price 50 cents at druggists or it will be mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York. Upon being placed into the nostrils it spreads over the membrane and relief is immediate. It is an agreeable cure.

A BULLETIN from the New Jersey station by Professor Smith describes three common orchard scales, the oyster shell-bark louse, the scurfy scales and the San Jose scale. It affords a kind of information in request by many since the San Jose scale has occasioned alarm.

W. S. Philpot, Albany, Ga., says; "DeWitt's Little Early Risers did me more good than any other pills I ever took." The famous little pills for constipation, biliousness and liver and bowel troubles.—For sale by L. M. Buehler.

DEPUTY Revenue Collector S. B. S. Stover's returns show that the cigars made in Franklin county in 1899 numbered 883,850, in which 8½ tons of tobacco were used and on which were paid $2,275 82 revenue. There are 12 factories in the county, 5 in Chambersburg, 4 in Fayetteville, 2 in Waynesboro, and one each in Mercersburg and Anderson's Valley.

An editor's life saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.—During the early part of October, 1896, I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared consumption had appeared in an incipient state. I was constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.—B. S. Edwards, Publisher of *The Review*, Wyant, Ill. For sale by Codori's Drug Store, Gettysburg.

WM. ZIEGLER, tenant of Col. B. F. Wingert's farm near Greencastle, killed a hog that weighed 817 pounds.

Mrs. J. M. Miller, New Hamilton, Pa., writes: "I think Dewitt's Witch Hazel Salve the grandest salve made." It cures piles and heals everything. All fraudulent imitations are worthless.—For sale by L. M. Buehler.

A NEW church is to be built in Brooklyn with a roof garden auditorium in hopes of attracting audiences in warm weather.

Codori's Drug Store guarantees every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to any one who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for grippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia.

IN granting licenses in Cumberland county, Judge Biddle requires all bars to close at 10 30 p. m., bottlers and wholesalers at 9 and forbids free lunches, music or games of chance in any saloon or bar-room.

Geo. Barie, Mendota, Va., says: "Nothing did me so much good as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. One dose relieved me, a few bottles cured me. It digests what you eat and always cures dyspepsia.—For sale by L. M. Buehler.

DURING the year 1899, Register Barnhart, of York county granted 353 letter, of which 179 were letters testamentary and 184 letters of administration. During the same period 358 executors, administrators and guardian accounts were filed. Besides during the year 217 inventories and appraisements were filed.

John Dirr, Poseyville, Ind., says: "I never used anything as good as One Minute Cough Cure. We are never without it." Quickly breaks up coughs, and colds. Cures all throat and lung troubles. Its use will prevent consumption. Pleasant to take.—For sale by L. M. Buehler.

JOSEPH EMMERT, son of Jesse Emmert, of Hagerstown, has gone to Chicago to buy a cargo of cattle. He will go thence to New York and sail for South Africa where he will hold the position of commissary sergeant in the Boer army.

"After doctors failed to cure me of pneumonia I used One Minute Cough Cure and three bottles of it cured me. It is also the best remedy on earth for whooping cough. It cured my grandchildren of the worst cases," writes John Berry, Logarton, Pa. It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. Cures coughs, colds, croup and throat and lung troubles. It prevents consumption. Children always like it. Mothers endorse it.—For sale by L. M. Buehler.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON TUESDAY, the 27th day of FEBRUARY, 1900, the undersigned, having rented his farm and intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, on his farm, 5¼ miles south of Gettysburg, along the Baltimore turnpike, the following Personal Property, viz:

3 Head of Work HORSES, all young and will work in single or double harness, one a good saddler, hard to beat; 10 Head of Horned Cattle, consisting of 7 Milk Cows, two fresh by time of sale, three in March and two by first of September, Steer, 2 Heifers; 10 Head of good Sheep; 8 Shoats; Brood Sow; 2-horse wagon, spring wagon, stick wagon, buggy with top, road cart, light 2-horse sled, 2-horse binder, all in good running order, mower, horse rake, sulky corn plow, corn planter, corn sheller, beef poles, fanning mill, cutting box, wheelbarrow, Oliver Chilled plow No. 40, shovel plow, corn forks, spring harrow, spike harrow, grain cradle, mowing scythe, cant hook, farm bell, cross-cut saw, blacksmith tools, anvil, vice, sledge, hammers, tongs, horse gears, front harness, breechbands, single harness, fly-nets, bridles, lead reins, butt and long traces, halters, saddle bag, log and cow chains.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, consisting of Tables, Bedsteads, Chairs, Milk Cans and many things not mentioned. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m., when terms and conditions will be made known by I. N. LIGHTNER.

Geo. J. Martz, Auct. Jan. 30. ts*

PUBLIC SALE.

ON THURSDAY, the 22nd day of FEBRUARY, 1900, the undersigned, having sold his farm and intending to remove to Bonneauville, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Mountpleasant township, Adams county, Pa., on the road leading from Bonneauville to Duttera's Station, known as the Low Dutch road, the following Personal Property, viz:

12 Head of CATTLE, consisting of 6 Milk Cows, three will be fresh this spring, two in March and one in April, 5 Heifers ranging from 3 to 15 months, Bull 18 months old. These cattle are all full Jerseys except one; 4 Chester White Shoats; 1-horse wagon and bed, hay carriages, surry, good as new, good falling-top buggy, self-dumping hay rake, Tiger make, sled with seat, No. 10 Mt. Joy plow, spring-tooth harrow, single shovel plow, corn fork, plow, double-tree, single-trees, jockey sticks, front gears, heavy harness, check lines, collars, bridles, plow lines, lead reins, fly-nets, dung hook, pitch fork, chicken coops, cow chains, hand rakes, hames, roller seat.

HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE, consisting of Bureaus, Stand, Bedstead Trundle Bed, ½-doz. Kitchen Chairs, Rocking Chair, drop-leaf Walnut Table, Sink, Cupboard, Early Rose Seed Potatoes by the bushel, Sweet Potatoes, Barrel and Vinegar, Pudding by the crock, Peach Butter, Lamps, Crocks and a great many articles too numerous to mention. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock m., when attendance will be given and terms made known by JOHN KEISER.

Geo. Colestock, Auct. Jan 30. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

ON TUESDAY, the 20th day of FEBRUARY, 1900, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, at her residence, in Mountjoy township, Adams county, Pa., 3 miles east of Gettysburg, the following Personal Property, viz:

4 Head of HORSES, consisting of a fine Stallion, dark bay, 8 years old, 16½ hands high, weigh 1300 or 1400 pounds, sired by Barney, Canadian horse owned by Jacob Rummel; is gentle in disposition, Colt 3 years old, a gentle driver, Colt 1 year old; 8 Head of Horned Cattle, consisting of 3 Milk Cows, one will be fresh by time of sale, two are fall cows and the rest are Heifers, one of which will be fresh about time of sale; 7 Shoats weighing from 80 to 100 lbs.; 2 Oliver Chilled plows, corn plows, wagon and other articles not herein mentioned. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock m., sharp, when terms and conditions will be made known by MRS. S. STREMMEL.

Geo. L. Colestock, Auct. Jan 30. ts*

PUBLIC SALE.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of FEBRUARY, 1900, about 1 mile south of Bonneauville, on the road leading from Sweet Home to the Two Taverns and White Hall road, on the S. D. Maring farm, will be sold at Public Sale the following:

5 Head of HORSES and MULES, one dark bay Horse 8 years old, will work wherever hitched and a good driver, one bay Mare with foal, 8 years old, work wherever hitched, well gaited, 3 fine Mules, two of them are black, work wherever hitched, good leaders, good single and double drivers, 7 years old, one dark bay Mule, will work wherever hitched, a good leader; 18 head of Horned Cattle, fine stock, most of them Durham, 8 Milk Cows, three of them will be fresh by time of sale, one spring Cow and the rest are fall Cows, 6 fine Durham Heifers, four of them are heavy with calf, Durham Heifer 6 months old, another one 8 months old, 2 Steers, one 1 year old and one 6 months old, Durham Bull 1 year old; 2 fine Sheep; 28 head of Hogs, 25 head of Shoats, 3 Brood Sows with pig, fine stock; 4 or 6-horse broad-tread wagon with bed, good as new, 2-horse wagon with bed, harvester, set hay carriages, corn worker, spring harrow, corn planter, corn grinder, spike harrows, threshing machine, with cleaning attachment, in good running order, plows, shovel plows, stretchers, single, double and triple-trees log chains, jockey sticks, forks, harness, breechbands, three sets front harness, fly-nets, plow lines and many other articles not mentioned.

SAMUEL M. REBERT.

Geo. L. Colestock, Auct. A. H. Parr, Clerk.
Jan 23, 1900. ts*

TOWN PROPERTY —AT— PRIVATE SALE

THE following desirable property in Gettysburg is offered for sale:

A LOT OF GROUND in the Bor. of Gettysburg, belonging to the estate of CATHARINE DOTTERER, deceased, fronting on the Emmitsburg road 60 ft. and running back about 120 ft. to land of G. W. Cook and improved with a Two-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, with Two-story Back-building, Frame Stable, one-story Brick Store Building, with Frame Building attached. Good Well of Water on the premises and a choice selection of Fruit Trees.

Also, A LOT OF GROUND, the property of WILLIAM H. DOTTERER, on the southwest side of above property, viz: fronting on the Emmitsburg road 30 ft. and 220 ft. deep to an alley. Good Stable and Well of Water on the lot.

Apply to GEO. J. BENNER, Attorney.

Sept. 12, 1899. tf

Notice to Bond-Buyers

SEALED proposals for the purchase of $8,000 of the bonds authorized to be issued by the ordinance of the Borough of Gettysburg, approved Dec. 21, 1899, indorsed "Bids for Bonds," will be received by J. L. Kendlehart, Secretary of the Town Council, until 7 o'clock p. m., WEDNESDAY, FEB. 7, 1900, the numbers of the bonds bid for to be clearly designated; the bonds to be dated and deliverable April 1, 1900; bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and to be free from taxation. Bids will be opened and bonds awarded by the Town Council at a meeting to be held February 7th, 1900, at 7 o'clock p. m. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the Sec'y. of said Borough, in the sum of two per cent. of the amount of said bid, which check will be forfeited in case of a failure to complete the contract after acceptance of the bid. If bids are rejected the checks will be returned at once, after the bonds have been placed. The Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

GEO. D. THOMAS, President of Town Council.

Attest:—J. L. KENDLEHART, Sec'y. Jan. 23. td

FOR SALE.

Valuable Real Estate in Gettysburg.

ALL the Real Estate of the late DAVID McCLEARY is offered for sale at Private Sale, consisting of the following:

The GLOBE HOTEL on York street, Gettysburg.

The SHOEMAKER STORE PROPERTY on Carlisle street.

The HOME PROPERTY on Carlisle street.

The LIVERY STABLE on alley west of Carlisle street.

The MEADOW LOT east of Washington street.

A BUILDING LOT on Baltimore street, south of the Battlefield Hotel.

For terms and prices call on W. C. SHEELY, Attorney.

Jan. 23, 1900. tf

Auditor's Notice.

THE undersigned, Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Adams County, to make distribution of the balance in the hands of J. L. WILLIAMS, ESQ., Administrator d. b. n. c. t. a. of the estate of BELINDA E. SWOPE, deceased, as appears in his final account, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Masonic Building, Gettysburg, on THURSDAY, the 15th day of FEBRUARY next, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested may attend.

C. W. STONER, Auditor.

Jan. 23, 1900. td

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

SAMUEL A. WARNER'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on estate of SAMUEL A. WARNER, late of Straban twp., Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

A. C. HOFFHEINS, Straban twp., Administrator.

Jan. 2 1900. 6t

PRIVATE SALE.

THE undersigned offers at Private Sale his RESIDENCE, situate on Carlisle street, Gettysburg, Pa.

For terms and conditions call on or address CHARLES H. RUFF.

Nov. 28, 1899. tf

PRIVATE SALE —OF— VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

THE PROPERTY on West High street known as the PITTENTURF PROPERTY is for sale.

For terms and conditions apply to

Oct. 10, 1899. tf J. L. BUTT.

THE MARKETS.

GETTYSBURG.

Corrected by J. Geo. Wolf's Sons.

Flour		4 00
Wheat		67
New Wheat		67
Rakings		50
Corn		40
Rye		48
Oats		20
Flax-seed	95 @	1 00
Timothy-seed		1 30
Buckwheat		35
Rye Straw		5 00
Hay	7 00 @	8 00

RETAIL PRICES.

Wheat Bran	95	per	100
C and O Chop	1 00	"	100
Rye Chop	1 10	"	100
Flour	4 00	"	bbl
Western Flour	4 50	"	"
Corn	35	"	bu
Corn	50	"	"
Wheat	85	"	"

BALTIMORE.

Flour	3 00 @	5 04
Wheat		70
Rye		56
Corn	28 @	39
Oats	20 @	30
Hogs, $\frac{1}{2}$ hundred, dead	5 00	21
Cattle beef per hundred, live	3 50	90

G. W. Weaver & Son. | G. W. Weaver & Son.
GETTYSBURG, PA.

Extraordinary Offer

WE BEGIN A NEW YEAR'S BUSINESS FEB. 10, and in order to clean the department of all wraps by that date, we will sell every Jacket, ladies' and children's, new this season

AT 1-2 PRICE.

That means a $5.00 JACKET FOR $2.50.
$10.00 " 5.00

and so on—Colors are Black, Castor and Blue.

ALL CAPES
Plush, Cloth and Astrakhan,
at 1-2 and 1-3 off.

All Suits at 1-4 off.

These goods are all new this season, and are our regular stock—not bought for the purpose of a sensational sale. The general stock is still large, but sizes will soon be broken. So come early to avoid disappointment.

A few Jackets of season '98—at a song.

THE LEADERS
G. W. WEAVER & SON,
GETTYSBURG, PA.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of FEBRUARY, 1900, the undersigned, intending to remove to the West, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Cumberland township, on the Judge Wills farm, 1 mile northwest of Gettysburg, the following Personal Property, viz:

10 Head of HORSES, consisting of 7 Work Horses and 3 Colts, 5 of which are Western horses, pair of matched blacks, the one a fine family mare, pair Bay Mares, heavy draft, both good leaders, the balance good work horses, and including two 2-year-old and one 1-year-old Colts; 15 Head of Horned Cattle, consisting of 6 Milk Cows, Bull and 8 head of Young Cattle; 2 Brood Sows, will have pigs by time of sale; 10 Shoats, will weigh from 40 to 60 lbs.; 4 wagons, one 4-horse, one 3-horse, one low farm wagon and a 1-horse wagon, all thimble skein, wagon beds, stone beds, hay carriages, 3 buggies, two falling-top and one stick wagon, sleigh, Geiser separator and mounted horse power in good running order, Osborne binder, nearly new, Osborne mower, horse rake, grain drill corn planter, Spangler's make, sulky corn plows, long plows, Roland Chilled, single corn plows, single shovel plow, spring-tooth harrow, land roller, single, double and triple-trees, jockey sticks, winnowing mill, cutting box, forks, rakes, shovels, digging iron, log, breast, butt and other chains, grain cradle, mowing scythe, bramble scythe, gears, breechbands, front gears, collars bridles, halters, check lines, single lines, single harness, riding saddle and bridle, long ladders, buggy spread, wagon spread.

Also HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE, consisting of Corner Cupboard, Bureau, Drawers, Secretary, Bedsteads, Wood Box, Tables, 3 Stoves, ten-plate, parlor and cook stove, nearly new, Chairs, Iron Kettles, Wash Machine, Wringer, Tubs, Milk Cans, Pots, Pans, Shepherd Dog and many articles not mentioned. Sale to begin at 9 o'clock a. m., sharp, when attendance will be given. 12 months credit on all sums of $5 and upward.

GEORGE A TROSTLE.

Caldwell and Currens, Aucts. George F. Young, Clerk. Jan. 30. ts*

PUBLIC SALE.

ON TUESDAY, the 20th day of FEBRUARY, 1900, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, in Cashtown, the following Personal Property, viz:

5 WAGONS: 2-horse wagon, 2 inch tread, with bed, all complete, 2-horse wood ladders, 1-horse wagon, home made, with bed, wood ladders for one horse, hay carriages, 3-seated passenger wagon, with platform springs, two good spring wagons, basket sleigh, spring harrow, 2 spike harrows, 5-shovel cultivator, plow, Hinkley lawn mower, buggy spread, Yankee harness, buggy harness, double harness, front gears, 25 ft. gum hose, double-heater coal stove and pipe, bedsteads, bed springs, table, cellar cupboard, ½-doz chairs, baby carriage, window blinds, tub, wash machine, wringer, steelyards, door and window screens, 150 ft. 6-ft. fence wire, shoe els, garden rakes, coal oil tank, 30-g 1 bbl vinegar, shop tools, bellows, anvil, vice, Green River tire shrinker, upright Lancaster drill, bench drill, tire bender, mandrel, swedge, block, taps and dies, monkey wrenches, braces, 30 bits, drawing knives, augurs, hammers, tongs, cold chisels, sledges, heading tools, swedge tools, punches, wire plyers, old iron, hundreds of bolts, all sizes and kinds. The above-named articles are all in good condition. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock m., when terms will be made known by GEO. J. MARTZ.

I. N. Lightner, Auct. H. L. Bream, Clerk.
Jan. 30 ts*

AUCTION.

IN order to reduce my stock of winter goods, to make room for spring goods, I will sell at Auction, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY 17th, 1900, at Mummasburg, the following:

A lot of BOOTS, SHOES and RUBBER GOODS, Queensware, Glassware, Tinware, Hems, Coal Oil Cans, Lanterns, Buckets, Baskets, Crocks, Underwear, Shirts, Overalls, Duck Coats, Gloves, Suspenders, Stockings, Neckties, Pocket-books, Note Paper and Envelopes, Brooms, Scrubbing and Horse Brushes, Whips, Flour of Sulphur, Cattle Powder, Axle Grease, Stove Polish, a lot of Soap, Shoemaker's Bench, Sausage Grinder, Boxes and a thousand and one articles not mentioned. All goods put up at auction will positively be sold and no under-bidding done. Auction to commence at 12 o'clock m., sharp, when terms will be made known by NICHOLAS MILLER.

George Martz, Auct. Jan. 30. ts*

PUBLIC SALE.

ON FRIDAY, MARCH 2nd, 1900, the undersigned, Assignee of Calvin T. Lower and wife, will sell at Public sale, on the farm of C. T. Lower, in Franklin township, Adams county, Pa., on the road between McKnightstown Station and McKnightstown, the following Personal Property, viz:

3 MULES, consisting of one dark Bay Mule 9 years old, a good leader, pair Black Mules rising 5 years old, good workers; 3 wagons, four-horse wagon and bed, two-horse wagon and bed, narrow-tread wagon, wood ladders, hay ladders 20 ft. long, Whitley binder, mowers, horse rake, hay tedder, sulky corn plows, corn planter, long plows, spring harrow, double spike harrow, land roller, corn fork, shovel plow, bob sled, lime sled, winnowing mill, cutting box, hay fork, track and rope, 1-5 interest in fodder shredder, ½ interest in a lime spreader, pair scales, will weigh about 8 ton, dung boards, 20-ft. ladder, grindstone, scythe and snath, straw knife, mattock, dung hook, breechbands, front gears, collars, blind bridles, fly-nets, wagon saddle, riding saddle, whip, plow lines, check lines, harness, wheelbarrow, sledge, crowbar, half bushel and bushel baskets, hr ast chains, butt traces, log and fifth chains, 24 steer chains, forks, rakes, shovels, single and double trees, middle rings spreaders, shingles, 1n ber, bags, old iron and many articles not herein mentioned. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m. sharp, when terms will be made known by JOHN C. LOWER, Assignee.

Geo. J. Martz, Auct. Geo F. Young, Clerk.
Jan. 30. ts

FOR SALE.

THE following valuable Real Estate is offered at Private Sale, on easy terms, viz: THE FARM of the late I. A. TROSTLE, situate in Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., near Round-Top, 2 miles from Gettysburg, containing 20 Acres of good land, improved with a Two-story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, large Bank Barn, Hog Pen and Chicken House. Plenty of Water and good Fruit. Convenient to schools, churches and markets. This is a most desirable little home, conveniently located and will be sold cheap to settle up an estate. Very little cash needed to buy same. Apply to WM. HERSH, Atty., Gettysburg, Pa.

Sept. 12, 1899. tf

Don't Miss

This opportunity to buy heavy weight clothing; you will need it yet. We have such a choice selection of fabrics at greatly reduced prices, that we are making up into stylish suits or overcoats. We would like to take your measure at once. Our reputation for high grade custom work speaks for itself.

J. D. LIPPY,
TAILOR.
39 Chambersburg St.

Private Sale--the following:

Heater, Howe Ventilator, GOOD AS NEW, One No. 7
Excelsior Cook Stove, Side Board, Sink,
Marble Top Stand, Single Bed, with bedding, Bed Room Suit, Hall Rack with mirror,
Hanging Lamp, Refrigerator,
Washing Machine,
48 yds. BRUSSELS CARPET,
a lot of Rag Carpet, Mattresses, Window Shades,
PARLOR SUIT, 40-gal. Barrel, and other articles.
AT STORE 1,000 lbs. SAFE,
LARGE EGG STOVE.

J. H. MYERS, Clothier.

Jan 23, 1m

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 3rd day of MARCH, 1900, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, on the farm of A. V. Scott, in Freedom township, Adams county, Pa., northwest of Greenmount, the following Personal Property:

BAY HORSE rising 7 years old, work wherever hitched and a good driver; 2 good Cows, one will be fresh in April and the other a fall cow; 3 Shoats; 2-horse wagon, spring wagon, cutter sleigh, plow, spring harrow, corn worker, single shovel plow, corn coverer, scythe and snath, harness, collar, bridles, saddle, halters, cow, breast, butt and log chains, double and single-trees, mattock, shovel, 3 tons of good timothy hay, corn fodder and many articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m. when terms and conditions will be made known by C. L. HARE.

Jan. 30. ts*

PUBLIC SALE.

ON TUESDAY, the 27th day of FEBRUARY, 1900, the undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence in Mountpleasant township, Adams county, Pa., on the road leading from Gettysburg to Bonneauville, 3½ miles from the former place and 1½ miles from the latter place, the following Personal Property, viz:

2 Head of HORSES, Bay Mare 11 years old, work wherever hitched, black Mare 9 years old, both good drivers; 8 Head of Horned Cattle, consisting of 5 Milk Cows, one fall cow and the rest will be fresh during March and April, Heifer, will be fresh during March, Bull, 2 years old, Bull, 10 months old; 2 Brood Sows, will have pigs during March; 8 Shoats, 8 months old; Chester White Boar; Western wagon for 2 or 3 horses, Millburn make, home-made wagon for 2 or 3 horses, hay ladders 17 ft. long, Mountville plow, Wallace plow, Plano mower, 16-tooth spring harrow, double land roller, grain fan, Shriner make, corn planter, corn sheller for hand or horse power, binder, horse rake, sulky corn worker, cutting box, double harpoon hay fork, with pulleys and 110 ft. of rope, stab e hook, cultivator, grindstone, cradle, mattock, crowbar, single, double and triple-trees, stretcher, grain, hay and manure knife, log, cow, stunders butt and breast chains, front harness, blind harness, bridles, halters, lines, collars, dinner bell, forks, shovels and many other articles too numerous to mention. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock, m., when conditions will be given and terms made known by JOHN RUDISILL.

Geo. L. Colestock, Auct H. A. Snyder, Clerk.
Jan. 30 ts*

The One Day Cold Cure.

For cold in the head and sore throat use Kermott's Chocolates Laxative Quinine, the "One Day Cold Cure."

For sale by H. S. BENNER.

The Comp

Gettysburg, Pa., Tuesday, Feb

SPRING SALES.

If you intend having sale in fix the date and send it to us tion. These notices are inser charge to those who adverti their bills printed with us:

The COMPILER goes into eve Adams county, and is therefor of advertising mediums. An ment inserted in it will always Handsome and attractive sale-b est prices.

After you have made out you it to us, so that the bills may in good time.

The list is published at this t those who are going to have know what dates are taken an sales in the same neighborho same day may be avoided.

February 17, Saturday—Willia Hamiltonban township.
February 17, Saturday—Nicho Mummasburg.
February 20, Tuesday—Geo. Franklin township.
February 20, Tuesday—Mrs. S. Mountjoy township.
February 21, Wednesday—S Rebert, Mountpleasant t
February 21, Wednesday — Trostle, Cumberland tow
February 22, Thursday—John Mountpleasant township.
February 26, Monday—W. D. Highland township.
February 27, Tuesday—John Mountpleasant township.
February 27, Tuesday—I. N. Mountjoy township.
March 1, Thursday—Mrs. Ma deer, Gettysburg.
March 2, Friday—Orville S. R Straban Township
March 2, Friday — John C. L signee of C. T. Lower, town.
March 3, Saturday—M. E. Sta Canning Factory, Gettysb
March 3, Saturday—C. L. Hare township.
March 3, Saturday—H. V. Shry berland township.
March 6, Tuesday—John M. Pit land township.
March 7, Wednesday—Ivan man, Hamiltonban towns
March 8, Thursday—J. L. Haa township.
March 8, Thursday—John Butt township.
March 8, Thursday—H. C. Rice township.
March 9, Friday—George executor of Aaron J. R deceased, Freedom towns
March 9, Friday—H. W. Lighte township.
March 9, Friday—Simon C. Kin ton township.
March 10, Saturday — Geor Franklin township.
March 12, Monday—Geo. Ess township.
March 12, Monday—George A Mountjoy township.
March 13, Tuesday—Calvin Gil berland township.
March 13, Tuesday—J. W. Hamiltonban township.
March 13, Tuesday—D. A. C Franklin township.
March 13, Tuesday—Charles Cumberland township.
March 14, Wednesday—Daniel Straban township.
March 14, Wednesday—James Franklin township.
March 15, Thursday—Philip Cumberland township.
March 15, Thursday — Jos. Franklin township.
March 16, Friday—David Brown Borough.
March 16, Friday—Harry Franklin township.
March 17, Saturday—Simon Franklin township.
March 19, Monday—Thos. Butler township.
March 19, Monday—Abraham Highland township.
March 19, Monday—R. B. My Rock.
March 19, Monday—S. S. McCle tonban township.
March 20, Tuesday—Nathaniel Cumberland township.
March 20, Tuesday—Adam W Franklin township.
March 20, Tuesday—H. Menallen township.
March 29, Thursday—Wm. B. (stock sale) Straban town
March 21, Wednesday—S. Horner, Cumberland tow
March 22, Thursday—Mrs. El Schriver, administratri township.
March 22, Thursday—Jos. H. Cumberland township.
March 22, Thursday—O. F. Ber iltonban township.
March 23, Friday—W. A. Cul Hamiltonban township.
March 23, Friday—L. H. Rice township.
March 24, Saturday—Jacob Cumberland township.
March 26, Monday—Amos Butler township.

THE COMPILER'S SPECIAL

Adams county, Pa., was 100 on January 22, and the Gettys PILER celebrated the event by double sheet filled with almost of interest that has occurred in during that time. The paper in the possession of every nati dent of that county.—Westmin Advocate.

ADAMS COUNTY was founded 1800, and last week the GETTYS PILER came out with an issue tion. It shows great enterpris sented to its many readers much local history and thus does a g The Democrat extends congra Fulton Democrat.

MR. S. H. SLOAN, of Ashl writes: Please send me two co COMPILER of Jan. 23d. I want captain and one for myself. in the Wheat-Field on July 2n monument stands there, the Vol., 4th Brig., 1st Div., 2nd grandfather used to own the two miles from Gettysburg, wh day's fight was. He was Adams county for a long time.

PROGRAM.

The program for the Ada Farmers Association meeting in the Court-house, Saturday, 10.30 o'clock is as follows:

"How to Raise Potatoes," Black, Flora Dale.

"Does it Pay to Raise Calve Bream, Cumberland township.

1.30 p. m.—Annual address b ident, D. F. Forney, Conowago

"Farming—Past, Present and Aaron Sheely, Gettysburg.

"The Future of the America Dr. C. E. Goldsboro, Hunters

REMOVAL SALE.—Feb. 24, in can buy our bargains in Over Furnishings, etc.

It J. H. Myers,

FOR SALE—Store size Enter Mill. Apply to BLAKE EARNSH

The Compiler.

Gettysburg, Pa., Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1900.

SPRING SALES.

If you intend having sale in the spring, fix the date and send it to us for publication. These notices are inserted free of charge to those who advertise or have their bills printed with us:

The COMPILER goes into every part of Adams county, and is therefore the best of advertising mediums. An advertisement inserted in it will always pay you. Handsome and attractive sale-bills at lowest prices.

After you have made out your list send it to us, so that the bills may be printed in good time.

The list is published at this time so that those who are going to have sale may know what dates are taken and that two sales in the same neighborhood on the same day may be avoided.

February 17, Saturday—William Brown, Hamiltonban township.
February 17, Saturday—Nicholas Miller, Mummasburg.
February 20, Tuesday—Geo. J. Martz, Franklin township.
February 20, Tuesday—Mrs. S. Stremmel, Mountjoy township.
February 21, Wednesday—Samuel M. Rebert, Mountpleasant township.
February 21, Wednesday—George A. Trostle, Cumberland township.
February 22, Thursday—John Keiser, Mountpleasant township.
February 26, Monday—W. D. Slonaker, Highland township.
Fe y 27, Tuesday—John Rudisill, Mountpleasant township.
February 27, Tuesday—I. N. Lightner, Mountjoy township.
March 1, Thursday—Mrs. Matilda Overdeer, Gettysburg.
March 2, Friday—Orville S. Riley, Agt., Straban Township.
March 2, Friday—John C. Lower, Assignee of C. T. Lower, McKnightstown.
March 3, Saturday—M. E. Stallsmith, at Canning Factory, Gettysburg.
March 3, Saturday—C. L. Hare, Freedom township.
March 3, Saturday—H. V. Shryock, Cumberland township.
March 6, Tuesday—John M. Pitzer, Highland township.
March 7, Wednesday—Ivan C. Musselman, Hamiltonban township.
March 8, Thursday—J. L. Hann, Straban township.
March 8, Thursday—John Butt, Highland township.
March 8, Thursday—H. C. Rice, Menallen township.
March 9, Friday—George Rohrbaugh, executor of Aaron J. Rohrbaugh, deceased, Freedom township.
March 9, Friday—H. W. Lightner, Butler township.
March 9, Friday—Simon C. Kime, Hamilton township.
March 10, Saturday—George Oyler, Franklin township.
March 12, Monday—Geo. Essick, Butler township.
March 12, Monday—George A. McGuigan, Mountjoy township.
March 12, Tuesday—Calvin Gilbert, Cumberland township.
March 13, Tuesday—J. W. Mickley, Hamiltonban township.
March 13, Tuesday—D. A. Conover, in Franklin township.
March 13, Tuesday—Charles G. Flohr, Cumberland township.
March 14, Wednesday—Daniel Wampler, Straban township.
March 14, Wednesday—James H. Ball, Franklin township.
March 15, Thursday—Philip Hemler, Cumberland township.
March 15, Thursday—Jos. W. Wolf, Franklin township.
March 16, Friday—David Brown, Fairfield Borough.
March 16, Friday—Harry M. Keller, Franklin township.
March 17, Saturday—Simon P. Stover, Franklin township.
March 19, Monday—Thos. A. Fisher, Butler township.
March 19, Monday—Abraham Hershey, Highland township.
March 19, Monday—R. B. Myers, Table Rock.
March 19, Monday—S. S. McCleaf, Hamiltonban township.
March 20, Tuesday—Nathaniel Lightner, Cumberland township.
March 20, Tuesday—Adam W. Minter, Franklin township.
March 20, Tuesday—H. Deardorff, Menallen township.
March 29, Thursday—Wm. B. McIlhenny, (stock sale) Straban township.
March 21, Wednesday—S. McAllen Horner, Cumberland township.
March 22, Thursday—Mrs. Elizabeth A. Schriver, administratrix, Butler township.
March 22, Thursday—Jos. H. Redding, Cumberland township.
March 22, Thursday—O. F. Benner, Hamiltonban township.
March 23, Friday—W. A. Culp & Bro., Hamiltonban township.
March 23, Friday—L. H. Rice, Menallen township
March 24, Saturday—Jacob S. Smith, Cumberland township.
March 26, Monday—Amos L. Minter, Butler township.

THE COMPILER'S SPECIAL ISSUE.

Adams county, Pa., was 100 years old on January 22, and the Gettysburg COMPILER celebrated the event by issuing a double sheet filled with almost everything of interest that has occurred in the county during that time. The paper should be in the possession of every native or resident of that county.—Westminster, Md., *Advocate.*

ADAMS COUNTY was founded January 22, 1800, and last week the GETTYSBURG COMPILER came out with an issue in celebration. It shows great enterprise and presented to its many readers much valuable local history and thus does a real service. The *Democrat* extends congratulations.—*Fulton Democrat,*

MR. S. H. SLOAN, of Ashland, Ohio, writes: Please send me two copies of the COMPILER of Jan. 23d. I want one for my captain and one for myself. We fought in the Wheat Field on July 2nd, and our monument stands there, the 148th Pa. Vol., 4th Brig., 1st Div., 2nd Corps. My grandfather used to own the brick house two miles from Gettysburg, where the first day's fight was. He was surveyor of Adams county for a long time.

PROGRAM.

The program for the Adams County Farmers Association meeting to be held in the Court-house, Saturday, Feb. 10th. 10.30 o'clock is as follows:

"How to Raise Potatoes," Wm. G. Black, Flora Dale.

"Does it Pay to Raise Calves?" H. D. Bream, Cumberland township.

1.30 p. m.—Annual address by the President, D. P. Forney, Conowago township.

"Farming—Past, Present and Future," Aaron Sheely, Gettysburg.

"The Future of the American Farmer," Dr. C. E. Goldsboro, Hunterstown.

REMOVAL SALE.—Feb. 24, last day you can buy our bargains in Overcoats, Suits, Furnishings, etc.
1t J. H. Myers, Clothier.

FOR SALE—Store size Enterprise Coffee Mill. Apply to BLAKE EARNSHAW. j23.3t

PERSONALS.

—Hon. Wm. McClean attended the funeral of his uncle, Rev. O. O. McClean, D. D., in Lewistown, last week.

—Hon. Carroll D. Wright, U. S. Commissioner of Labor, of Washington, D. C., spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. John B. McPherson.

—Dr. T. C. Billheimer preached at Shippensburg on Sunday.

—N. Lieberman expects to remove from Gettysburg to Bellefonte.

—Leo Codori, who is studying dentistry with his brother-in law, Dr. Foreman, of Emmitsburg, spent Sunday at his home here.

—Dr. E. J. Wolf preached in St. Mark's church, York, on Sunday.

—Denton Stouffer, operator at the P. & R. R. R. depot, spent Sunday at his home in Arendtsville.

—Dr. William Deardorff, of Jeddo, Luzerne county, is visiting his brother, Chas. H. Deardorff.

—Mrs. Baugher has returned home after spending some time in York.

—Miss Ettie Krise is spending some time with Rev. E. Felton and family in Baltimore.

—Miss Julia Krise is visiting in Carlisle.

—Miss Hattie Holtzworth left on Friday for an extended visit among friends in Chambersburg.

—The following Seminarians filled out-of-town pulpits on Sunday: J. W. Ott at Sabillasville, Md.; Louis C. Menges at Hummelstown, Pa., and C. G. White at Harrisburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Frock, of Harford county, Md., spent the last few days with relatives in town.

—Dr. and Mrs. Valentine attended the funeral of Mr. John Galt, who was buried in Piney Creek Presbyterian church cemetery on Saturday.

—Miss Riley, of Northampton, Mass, who has been the guest of Miss Diehl, has returned home.

—Prof. Chas. H. Huber preached in Philadelphia on Sunday.

—Miss Mary E. Benner, of Hanover, spent a few days here the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Leister, of Steinwehr Avenue.

—Miss Hattie Krauth is the guest of Miss Schick in Philadelphia.

—Miss Virginia O'Neal spent last week with Hanover friends.

—Miss Lena Keith is spending some time in Philadelphia.

—Rev. G. W. Enders, well known here, will be installed pastor of the Union Bridge Lutheran charge, on the evening of Feb. 15th. Rev. P. H. Miller, of Westminster, and other pastors will assist in the services.

—Mrs. H. W. McKnight is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Luther S. Black, at Johnstown, N. Y.

—The Misses Chritzman have returned from a visit to Westminster, Md.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Duncan attended a reception and dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt, at their home in York on Friday night.

—Miss Mame Zeigler has returned home after spending some time in Philadelphia and Washington.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hann, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Wm. A. McIlhenny, of Straban township, over Sunday.

Miscellaneous.

THE following are the delegates from Adams county to the School Directors, State Convention to be held in Harrisburg on February 14th and 15th: C. H. Myers, Tyrone township; W. C. Van Scoyac, Latimore township; F. S. Cromer, Cumberland township; Calvin Hamilton, Gettysburg; alternates, H. A. Smelser, Arendtsville; A. M. Lochbaum, Franklin township; J. B. Haverstack, Franklin township; Z. H. Cashman, New Oxford.

BENJAMIN WHITE, of San Francisco, a broker, owns what he says is the pencil with which Lincoln rewrote his Gettysburg speech while on the train going to the battlefield. The pencil is merely a stub, and Lincoln borrowed it from Mr. White's father, who preserved it carefully.

DON'T forget the entertainment in Xavier Hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 22nd, by the "Odds and Ends" Minstrel Company. Only local talent will be employed in the production, and, as the proceeds are to go to increase the public charity fund, the entertainment should be liberally patronized by the people of the town. A street parade will be given by the members at noon, starting from Xavier Hall and traversing the main streets of the town. Let everybody turn out and encourage the Company in this, their first public attempt.

MATTERS reaching us on Monday evening or Tuesday morning will hereafter be too late for publication, as we are compelled to issue earlier on Tuesday than usual, so as to catch the new rural mail delivery. Our patrons will please take notice.

AT a mass meeting of the Students of the College, on Saturday, it was decided to have a parade on Washington's birthday.

A NEW series of shares will be started in the Adams County Building and Loan Association about the middle of March.

THE annual supper of Post 9, G. A. R., will be on Monday evening next.

THE report that the Miller brothers, of Lancaster, have purchased the Globe Hotel in this place, is said by persons interested, to be without foundation.

IT is but fair to presume that the ground hog saw his shadow on Friday and consequently, according to tradition, we are destined to have six weeks of bad weather before he will again make his appearance.

THE charter of incorporation of the Farmers and Merchant's Bank, of New Oxford, was filed for record in the Register and Recorder's office last Friday.

THE young people of St. Francis Xavier church have organized a dramatic club and are now rehearsing for a play with which they will entertain the people of Gettysburg in the near future.

AMONG the recent pensions are an increase to John W. Wierman, of York Springs, $8 to $10; a reissue and increase to Henry Hoar, of Abbottstown, $6 to $8.

WM. Kitzmiller, of this place, is the possessor of quite a valuable relic in the form of a cane made of mahogany wood that had been in Morro Castle, Havana, for over 400 years. The donor of the cane is Sgt. O. B. Crider, Battery E., 2nd Artillery, now stationed at Fort McPherson, Ga. It will be remembered that Sgt. Crider enlisted in Co. M, 5th Pa. Vol. Inf. and afterwards became one of the Regimental buglers serving as such until the Regt. was mustered out of service at the close of the Spanish-American War.

TO-MORROW one week, February 14, is Valentine Day.

THE guess candle in the store room of John M. Minnigh burned out on Friday, having burned 605 hours. The nearest guess, 590 hours, was made by John Matron, of St. Lucas, Va., to whom Mr. Minnigh has sent a check for $5, the prize offered to the winners. Miss Minnie Schaeffer, this place, was the next closest, her number 568 hours. There were but two numbers higher than 605.

MRS. CHAS. A. BECK, of this place, is in Philadelphia prosecuting a suit to recover damages for being run down by a delivery wagon, while riding a bicycle. Mrs. Beck had her arm broken and received other injuries, which, she alleges, was due to the negligence of the driver of the wagon.

THE colored men of town have named their new band, the "R. H. Thomas Gettysburg Monumental Band."

RURAL FREE MAIL DELIVERY.

Rural free mail delivery was inaugurated at Gettysburg on February 1st, 1900.

The route is as follows:

Leave Gettysburg at 10.30 a. m., or as soon thereafter as practicable, going out the Baltimore pike to the Toll-gate beyond Yoost's Store in the village of Two Taverns; thence return to Yoost's Store; thence proceed on most direct road (as shown on map) to Harney, Md.; thence to Gettysburg by the Taneytown road, passing Barlow and Sedgwick; length of route 20 miles; area covered 20 square miles; population served over 800.

Mail will be delivered to any family on or adjacent to the above route, free of all cost, provided only that a suitable box to receive the mail is put up directly on the above route, in a place that can be conveniently reached by the carrier without alighting from his buggy. No mail will be delivered unless a box is provided to receive it.

It will be noticed that the carrier has a daily drive of about 20 miles, and it is hoped that patrons will not delay him on the route unless it is necessary. Stamps and postal cards may be purchased of the carrier, but it is advised that a supply of these be kept on hand, as he has not time to wait while you write your cards and letters.

It is the duty of the patrons who appreciate the service to see that roads are kept in good condition and that the following request of the First-Assistant Post-Master-General in regard to boxes be complied with: "It is particularly desired by the department that the boxes put up by the patrons of the delivery shall be of such a character as to be secure, not only from the weather, but from mischievous or malicious depredation. The United States Mail should not be deposited in any but an appropriate receptacle, properly labeled and protected."

Watch the carrier and see what time he arrives at your house every day. The time will vary but little from one day to another. Get your mail out of the box as soon as possible after he leaves it.

Tack a red cloth on the inside of your mail box, and when you have mail for the carrier to collect pull the cloth out so he can see it. Mail to be sent to the office should be placed in your box where the carrier can get it when he leaves your mail. He will not stop for mail unless you have the sign out.

Strict attention to the above rules will do a great deal to facilitate the service and make it popular and efficient.

To insure prompt delivery all mail should be addressed "Rural Route No. 1, Gettysburg, Pa."

GEO. F. YOUNG,
Postmaster.

THE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY.

We understand that the Executive Committee of Gettysburg Development Co. has been for some time past making a considerable effort to have located here three important industries, each of which would employ a considerable number of men and men only. The average pay-roll for the three industries would far exceed in amount the total sum paid for labor, male and female, and including all classes of employed labor in Gettysburg to-day.

But the inducements to be offered to meet the active efforts of other towns trying to locate these same industries are not small and the Committee regrets to say that they are not meeting with the encouragement among business men and property-holders which the importance to the town warrants.

The good results from the industries already located here are now being felt and it is earnestly hoped that the work may be kept up and encouraged.

Another effort will be made during this week to enlarge the fund of the Development Co.

COURT BUSINESS.

Henry Patterson appointed guardian of Leroy F., Myrtle and Edna H. Patterson, minor children of Anna B. Patterson, deceased.

Permission granted John Diehl, Amos Diehl, Josephine Hershey, David Feiser, and Mary Schaeffer and George Diehl, administrator of estate of Adam Diehl, to draw out of court their shares in the dower funds in the estate of George Diehl, deceased.

Report of R. E. Wible, Esq., auditor in estates of Rebecca and Abraham Fisher, deceased, confirmed.

Authority granted Elmore O. E. Orner, guardian of Virgie and Lizzie Orner, to receive shares of said minors in the estate of Henry Beamer, deceased.

A PASTOR'S RESIGNATION.

At the meeting of the joint Consistory of the Arendtsville charge of the Reformed church, held in Arendtsville, January 29th, the pastor, Rev. M. M. Noacher, presented his resignation, with the view of accepting the appointment by the Board of Missions to take charge of the Mission at Harrisonburg, Va. After some discussion as to the wisdom of dissolving the pastoral relations, which were formed over 6 years ago, and which have been attended with many blessings both to pastor and people, temporally and spiritually, the Consistory declined to accept the resignation, believing it unwise to sever the relations at this time.

A MEMBER.

W. M. RAILROAD.

The Baltimore city Finance Commissioners last Wednesday decided not to foreclose the mortgages held by the city upon the property of the Western Maryland Railroad during the current year. In the opinion of the Commissioners no action should be taken looking to the foreclosing until the recently appointed city directors have ample time to look fully into affairs of the road and prepare a report stating what, in their opinion, the city should do. Officials of the road assert that, if permitted to continue business during the year, all of the floating indebtedness can be paid from current revenues.

College Y. M. C. A. Entertainment.

The second entertainment of the season was given in Brua Chapel on Saturday evening by Elias Day, the characterist, and from all sides we hear expressions of approval and delight.

To single out any particular part would be a difficult task, as all of his impersonations were excellent. If the remaining entertainments of the series are as entertaining along their particular line as this one, it is not too much to predict financial success to the managers, as well as the good wishes of those attending.

CLOSING out at and below cost, at the Globe Clothing House, York street, Gettysburg, Pa. j9.tf

A FARM for rent, 170 acres, in Highland township. Address P. O. Box 156, Gettysburg. j2.tf

The One Day Cold Cure.
For colds and sore throat use Kermott's Chocolates Laxative Quinine. Easily taken as candy and quickly cure.
For sale by H. S. BENNER

WANTED!—Reliable man for Manager of Branch Office I wish to open in this vicinity. Good opening for an energetic sober man. Kindly mention this paper when writing.

A. T. MORRIS, Cincinnati, O.
Illustrated catalogue 4 cts. postage.
j9.6t

A SMALL DESIRABLE FARM of 28 acres, with fruit and good water, situate midway between Gettysburg and Emmitsburg, fronting on the public road, is offered for sale.
J. L. WILLIAMS,
Attorney-at-Law,
j16.tf Gettysburg, Pa.

DEATHS.

Mr. John Galt, a prominent resident of Westminster, Md., died at his home on Belle Grove Park, at four o'clock Thursday afternoon, aged seventy-five years. He was a native of Taneytown district, Carroll county., Md., and a son of the late Sterling Galt. He was at one time engaged in business in Washington, but for many years has lived a retired life in Westminster. He was a member of Piney Creek Presbyterian church, near Taneytown, and a decided Democrat. He leaves a widow, one daughter—Miss Nannie Handy Galt—and two sons—George P., and John Grason Galt, of Westminster. He was a brother of the late Matthew Galt, of Washington D. C.; Henry Galt, of Taneytown, and Mrs. M. Valentine, of Gettysburg. The funeral took place on Saturday, at Piney Creek church, the services at the house being held at 9 a. m.

On Friday, at the Bryan property, on Hancock Ave., Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth, wife of Charles Robinson, died from the effects of stomach trouble, aged 51 years, 10 months and 13 days.

She is survived by a husband and five children as follows: Mrs. Ella McCleaf and Dory Robinson, of this place; Samuel, of Cumberland township, and Wm. B., Thomas and Lavina at home.

Services were held at the home on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Eli Huber officiating; interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

FROM NEW OXFORD.

FEB. 5—J. E. Byers spent Friday in Gettysburg.

John Miller transacted business in Hanover Friday afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Keller, of this place, is visiting friends in Hanover.

Miss Annie Marshall, of Womelsdorf, Pa., is visiting Dr. Sheets and family, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Cress, of Littlestown, spent the past few days with friends in this place.

J. N. Lingg was in Philadelphia last week on business.

Miss Alice Pottorff visited friends in Baltimore the past week.

Mrs. Dr. J. L. Sheets and her two daughters, Marion and Mable, spent a few days with friends in York.

A. W. Himes transacted business in Hanover the first of the week.

Owners of ice-houses have filled their houses with ice. Skating is very good on the creek, the ice being 5 or 6 inches thick.

The ground hog certainly was able to see his shadow in this section on Friday. If you believe him a profit, look out for at least six weeks more of rough weather.

Irvin Livingston, who is attending school in York, spent the past few days with his parents near town.

Last Monday night thieves entered the smoke house of Worth Kohler, at Myers' Mill, and stole eleven pieces of meat.

Mrs. E. G. Cook visited her daughter, Mrs. Spencer Myers, at Sparrows Point, Md., last week.

James Robinson, son of Mrs. Caroline Robinson, of near town, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, was somewhat worse the past week, caused by an abcess formed where the appendix was removed. There is hope of his recovery now.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Stark of Hanover, spent Wednesday in town, visiting Mrs. Stark's father, Mr. Joseph Gitt, who is confined to the house by a spell of sickness.

Dr. H. W. Swartz offered to the new Shirt Factory which is expected here Tuesday, his store room in the Ruff Building on Philadelphia street. They accepted and will take possession to-morrow.

A large Business Directory containing 30 advertisements of the business houses of this town has been placed in the Eagle Hotel.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers and Merchants' Bank will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 6th., for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization and other purposes. The charter for the above named bank was granted last week, and is now in the hands of the promoters. The safe is expected next week. Work will be commenced as soon as all the material is received.

BOEB.

QUILTED Nursery Cloth, and Mattress Protector at Dougherty & Hartley's. Price 50 cents per yard. 1t

EXCURSION TO BALTIMORE.—Camp No. 22, P. O. S. of A., of New Oxford will run an excursion to Baltimore on Thursday, Feb. 15th. Schedule of train: Gettysburg 7.20, Granite 7.31, Gulden's 7.34, New Oxford 7.47 a. m. Returning leave Baltimore at 6 p. m. j6.2t*

That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by S. J. Codori, Jr., Druggist. 1

A Frightful Blunder.

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcer, Boils, Felons, Corns, all skin eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by S. J. Codori, Jr., Druggist. 1

To my neighbors and friends who, during my wife's illness, were so kind and obliging, I wish to express my sincere appreciation of their courtesy and sympathy.

CONRAD ALWINE.

FOR RENT—The Fuhrman property on Railroad street. Call on W. C. SHEELY, Attorney. j23.4t

FOR SALE.—The Reiling farm of 143 acres, near Gettysburg. Apply to
d12.tf McPHERSON & McPHERSON.

MARRIAGES.

KENNEDY—PENTZ.—Jan. 28, at parsonage by Rev. D. P. Schaffer, Dr. Thomas Kennedy to Miss Sarah A. Pentz, both of Bermudian.

RIFFLE—NOEL.—Jan. 30, at Christ church parsonage, by Rev. F. S. Lindaman, Mr. Chas. Riffle, of Silver Run, to Miss Edith Noel, of Kingsdale.

KUMRINE—STEAR.—Jan. 28, at Lutheran parsonage, Hanover, by Rev. S. Metzger, Mr. Riley L. Krumrine, of Littlestown, to Miss Elvina M. Stear, of Littlestown.

LAY—LILLY.—Feb. 1, at St. John's Catholic church, Long Green, Mr. Richard E. Lay, of Baltimore, to Miss Marie Joseph Lilly, formerly of this county.

HAAS—RIDER.—Jan. 28, at the bride's home, by Rev. F. H. Hesse, Mr. Gideon Haas, of Hanover, to Miss Maggie Rider, of McSherrystown.

PETERS—WESTFALL.—Jan. 24, at the home of the bride, by Rev. Stiles, Mr. Astley Peters, formerly of this county, to Miss Elsie M. Westfall, of Altoona.

DEATHS.

DEATHS FREE. TRIBUTES, VERSES, &C., 5 CENTS A LINE.

SLONAKER.—Jan. 28, in this place, George Edgar, infant son of George G. and Ellen S. Slonaker, aged 4 months and 15 days.

KING.—Feb. 1, in Littlestown, Arthur King, aged about 24 years.

FLICKINGER.—Jan. 30, near Red Land, Miss Mary Flickinger, aged 13 years.

ELDON.—Jan. 25, at Lock Haven, Prof. James A. Eldon, formerly of Bendersville, aged about 31 years.

MYERS.—Daughter of Parker W. Myers, of Huntington township, aged about 3 years.

ALWINE.—Feb. 3, in this place, Mrs. Mary Annetta Alwine, aged 55 years, 7 months and 19 days. Interment at New Oxford.

BISHOP.—Jan. 27, at McSherrystown, John W. Bishop, aged 48 years, 2 months and 11 days.

BECK.—Feb. 1, near Schwartz's school-house, Mrs. Matilda Beck, aged 75 years, 3 months and 13 days.

MILLER.—Jan. 24, in Mountjoy township, Solomon Miller, aged about 80 years.

WEIKERT.—Jan 29, in Highland township, Russel Andrew, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac H. Weikert, aged 4 months and 18 days.

DEATRICK.—Jan. 24, in Reading township, Mrs. Augustus Deatrick.

HAINES.—At Abbottstown, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Haines.

COUNT the reduction and the advance. I can save you 50 per cent. on Spring and Summer Suits. Call early.
1t J. H. Myers, Clothier.

FOR RENT.—The house and store room on York street now occupied by Lewis E. Kirssin; possession April 1st.
d26.tf A. J. SMITH.

FOR RENT—The undersigned will convert the first floor of his residence on Chambersburg street, opposite City Hotel, into an office or a store-room to suit renter. Also two rooms on 3d floor for rent. PENROSE MYERS. j2.tf

Auditor's Notice.

THE undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pa., to make distribution of balance in hands of GEORGE H. TROSTLE, Assignee of William E. Brough, will sit at his office in Gettysburg on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28th, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m.

WM. McSHERRY,
Feb. 6. 1d Auditor.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON FRIDAY, the 9th day of MARCH, 1900, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Butler township, Adams county, Pa., on the road leading from Mummasburg to Hunterstown, 1 mile from the former place, the following Personal Property, viz:

3 Good Heavy Farm HORSES, will work anywhere; 2 Milk Cows, both fresh in April, 4 Bulls, 3 Heifers, all have been tested by State Sanitary Live Stock Board; 11 Head of Shoats, good stock; 2 Sheep; 3-inch Western wagon, good as new, Whiteley Binder, McCormick mower, 5 ft. cut, new Empire drill, Hench & Dromgold sulkey plow, buggy, hay rake, standard wheel barrow, spike harrow, hay carriage, long plows, shovel plow, cultivator, land roller, platform scales, weighing 700 lbs., ½-bushel measure, cutting box, grindstone, Enterprise meat cutter, milk cans, horse gears, Yankee harness, front gears, single harness, collars, bridles, halters, check lines, etc., breast, butt and fifth chains, single and double-trees, corn on the ear and many other articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock a. m., when terms will be made known by H. W. LIGHTNER.

Feb. 6. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

ON TUESDAY, MARCH 6th, 1900, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Highland township, on the old Biesecker farm, 1 mile east of the road leading from Fairfield to Orrtanna, 2½ miles from either place, the following Personal Property, viz:

2 Head of MULES, consisting of a dark Mule rising 4 years old, well broken to work, dark yearling Mule; 11 Head of Cattle, consisting of 4 Milk Cows, three will be fresh by time of sale, the other a fall cow, one a full Jersey and the other three Durham, 7 Head Young Cattle, consisting of 2 yearling Heifers, 2 young Bulls and 3 Steers; 30 Head of Hogs and Shoats, consisting of a Brood Sow, will have pigs by time of sale, good young Chester White Boar, 25 Shoats, will average 60 lbs. These hogs are all good stock. All of the above-named stock is young and in good condition. Hay carriages 19 ft. long, wood ladders, Mt. Ville grain drill, corn planter, fodder cutter, spring-tooth harrow, Hench & Dromgold make, box sleigh, three-horse plow, single shovel plow, double shovel plow, spider plow, log chain, spreaders, single, double and triple-trees, mattock, axes, forks, shovels, buggy harness, front gears, six-horse line, riding saddle, side saddle, collars, bridles, fly-nets, falling-top buggy, 90 bushels potatoes, 5 bushels sweet potatoes, hay by the ton, fodder by the bundle, 100 bushels corn, 7 bushels excellent clover seed, old iron.

Also HOUSEHOLD GOODS, consisting of bedsteads, dining table, meat vessels, 20 gal. vinegar, brooms, canned fruit, onions, apple butter by the crock and many other articles not herein mentioned. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m., when terms will be made known by JOHN M. PITZER.

E. O. Currens, Auct. Feb. 6. ts*

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 3d day of March, 1900, the undersigned, having rented his farm, will sell at Public Sale on his premises, situated in Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., on the road leading from Allison's Hill to Hoffman's mill, about ¼ a mile from the former place and 1½ miles south of Barlow P. O., the following Personal Property viz:

2 WORK HORSES, will work wherever hitched, both good leaders, the one rising 7 the other 14 years, Colt rising two years; 3 Milk Cows, two will be fresh by time of sale; 4 Poland China Shoats crossed with Berkshire; two-horse wagon, Dayton wagon, end-spring falling-top buggy, self binder, Champion mower, Oliver chilled plow, Ley plow, spring-tooth harrow, spike harrow, single and double shovel plows, corn fork, corn coverer, land roller, front gears, double harness, single harness, wagon saddle, side saddle, check lines, flynets, collars, blind bridles, riding bridles, breast-straps, 82 feet of 1¼ inch rope, double and single trees, jockey stick, log chain, crosscut saw, maul and wedges, mattock, digging iron, footadz, augers, chisels, mole and bead planes, grindstone, shaving-horse, grain cradle, mowing scythe, ½ bushel measure, bushel basket, lime measures, pitch forks, dung fork, shovels, hoes, rakes, garden plow, breast and cow chains, grain sacks, bag wagon, smooth-bore rifle.

Also HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE consisting of Excelsior cook stove, pipe and fixtures, No. 7; 2 coal stoves and pipe, ten-plate stove, lounge, safe, sink, kitchen tables, sewing machine, cradle, quilting frames, bake tray, washing machine, churn and stand, meat barrels, iron kettle, pot rack, flesh fork and ladles, bacon by the lb., jars, crocks, buckets and many other articles too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp, when attendance will be given and terms made known by H. V. SHRYOCK.

I. N. Lightner, Auct. John W. Black, Clerk.
Feb. 6, ts*.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON MONDAY, the 26th day of FEBRUARY, 1900, the undersigned intending to reduce his stock and farming implements, will sell at Public Sale, in Highland township, Adams county, Pa., on the farm known as the old Kittinger farm, along the Cold Springs road, the following Personal Property, viz:

2 Head of HORSES, one Bay Mare rising 4 [illegible] lent driver, double or single, Bay Mare, good worker and driver; 8 Head of Horned Cattle consisting of a Cow, will be fresh by time of sale, two Yearling Heifers, Steer, a year old, two Bulls, one is a year and a half old and the other a year; 6 Head of good Sheep, five Ewes and a Buck; 2 Head of Hogs, one a Boar and the other a Sow, which will have pigs by middle of February; 4-horse wagon, 3-inch tread, hay carriages 16 ft. long, long plows, one a steel beam Syracuse No. 25 and one a Gale Chilled No. 30, both good as new, Keystone cornplanter, in good running order, lowdown Pennsylvania grain drill, Geiser separator and horse-power, suitable for steam, single shovel plow, spreaders, single-trees, hay fork and fixtures, wood track and other articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m. Everything offered will be sold for whatever it will bring. Terms and conditions made known on day of sale. W. D. SLONAKER.

G. J. Martz, Auct. J. A. Menchey, Clerk.

Also, at the same time and place, will be offered for sale

2 HORSES, one 5 years old, work wherever hitched, and one 3 years old, well broken to harness; Sow and 9 Pigs, pigs will be 4 weeks old by time of sale. H. B. SLONAKER.

Feb. 6. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

ON FRIDAY, the 2nd day of MARCH, 1900, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Straban township, Adams county, Pa., on the road leading from the Carlisle road to the Harrisburg road, about midway between the two places, 3 miles northeast of Gettysburg, the following Personal Property, viz:

4 Head of HORSES, consisting of one Black Mare 7 years old, sound and will work wherever hitched, one ash-colored Mare rising 5 years old, Arabian stock, sound and an extra good driver, good size, extra good style, perfectly gentle, fearless of steam or trolley cars, any woman can drive her, Brown Mare rising 8 years old, with foal, a No. 1 brood mare, as fine a 3-year-old as can be found, and will work wherever hitched, Bay Mare Colt 8 months old; 8 Head of Horned Cattle, 4 of which are Milk Cows, all fall cows, two thoroughbred Jerseys, one makes 9 and the other 12 lbs. of butter a week, Guernsey Cow, makes 8 lbs. of butter a week, Jersey Heifer, will be fresh in September, Durham Steer 1 year old, Jersey Bull 10 months old, Guernsey Bull 3 months old; 7 Head of No. 1 Sheep; 30 Head of Poland China Shoats weighing from 20 to 80 lbs. apiece; 2 wagons, one a light 4-horse 2-inch tread wagon and bed, good as new, been lately filled, a new inch tire put on, carries three tons, spring wagon, in good condition, falling-top buggy, almost new, sulkey corn plow, extension axle, Hench & Dromgold make, used one season, 2 Barshear plows, one an Oliver Chilled No. 40, the other a riding plow, St. John's make, five-shovel cultivator, front gears, wagon saddle, bridles, collars, halters, plow lines, single strap single harness, used but a few times, double harness, double and single-trees, middle rings, cow chains, mattock, digging iron, shovel, sledge, double-bit axes, cider barrels, hams, shoulders, side meat, lard and sausage by the pound, apple butter by the crock, 50 bushel Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, 10 tons prime timothy hay, 5 tons wheat straw and other articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp, when terms will be made known by ORVILLE S. RILEY, Agent.

Feb. 6. 1s*

Register's Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Legatees and other persons concerned that the Administration Accounts hereinafter mentioned will be presented at the Orphans' Court of Adams county, for confirmation and allowance on MONDAY, the 5th day of MARCH, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock, a. m., viz:

262. The first and final account of Simon J. Codori, late Guardian of Mary L. Codori, who died in her minority, as stated by Matilda L. Codori, of Gettysburg, Pa., Executrix of the will of Simon J. Codori, deceased.

1. First and final account of William A. Himes, Guardian of Carrie B. and Walter H. Fuhrman, minor children of Daniel S. Fuhrman, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, deceased.

2. The first and final account of Peter B. Kauffman, Executor of the last will and testament of Margaret Kauffman, late of East Berlin Borough, Adams county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

3. The first and final account of John H. Musser, Guardian of the person and estate of Charles Clapsaddle, minor child of Mary Clapsaddle, late of Franklin township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

4. The first account of David M. Stewart, Executor of the last will and testament of Miss Elenor I. V. Stewart, late of York Springs Borough, in the County of Adams and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

5. First and final account of John G. Hess, Executor of the last will and testament of Mary M. Binbaugh, late of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

6. First account of The York Trust, Real Estate and Deposit Company, Executors of the last will and testament of Mary F. Hersh, late of New Oxford, Adams county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

7. The first and final account of Henry P. Sandoe and Jacob Kitzmiller, Administrators of the estate of Mary Ann Sandoe, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Penna., deceased.

H. G. WEHLER,
Feb. 6, 1900. td Register.

Receipts and Expenditures

—OF—

ADAMS COUNTY

—FOR—

1899.

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ADAMS COUNTY, PA.

AGREEABLY to an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to raise County Rates and Levies," requiring the Commissioners of the respective counties to publish a statement of the Receipts and Expenditures, yearly, we, the Commissioners of Taxes of said county, do report as follows, viz: from the 2nd day of January, A. D., 1899, to the first day of January, A. D., 1900.

JOHN A. LIVERS, Esq., Treasurer, and the Commissioners, in account with the County of Adams, as follows:

DR.

1899. To balance at settlement $5,811 80
To outstanding taxes for 1898 11,717 16

County, State and Dog Tax for 1899:

	Dog Tax.	Co. Tax.	State Tax.
Arendtsville bor.	$5 60	$270 44	$133 21
Bendersville bor.	7 80	242 95	201 95
Berwick bor.	5 80	296 92	336 72
Berwick township	13 40	647 50	135 35
Butler twp.	53 40	1892 94	171 58
Conowago twp.	23 20	1612 03	189 33
Cumberland twp.	38 00	1725 07	310 11
East Berlin bor.	7 20	796 58	404 45
Fairfield	6 00	346 50	199 56
Franklin twp.	57 60	1957 52	710 36
Freedom twp.	17 20	592 12	99 41
Germany twp.	17 40	1007 48	233 78
Gettysburg, 1st wd.	4 80	1333 66	1009 29
" 2d wd.	5 20	1195 17	556 64
" 3d wd.	7 60	771 06	140 31
Quit rents		171 41	
Hamilton twp.	16 80	1109 40	57 00
Hamiltonban twp.	28 60	1388 59	173 51
Highland twp.	17 60	636 73	127 56
Huntington twp.	40 20	1038 00	211 77
Latimore twp.	37 00	1526 33	132 34
Liberty twp.	28 40	857 46	121 29
Littlestown bor.	4 00	762 67	481 49
McSherryst'n 1st w	4 00	334 44	103 37
" 2d w	7 80	412 24	62 59
Menallen twp.	55 20	1316 19	153 65
Mountjoy twp.	37 40	1549 58	222 03
Mountpleasant tp.	54 20	1946 96	371 02
New Oxford bor.	5 60	717 74	266 91
Oxford twp.	21 80	1212 65	93 68
Reading twp.	40 40	1660 80	331 11
Straban twp.	53 00	1550 50	196 04
Tyrone twp.	35 80	1131 99	166 08
Union twp.	32 40	1305 26	185 37
York Springs bor.	7 40	323 12	135 77

Total Dog Tax	$805 20
Total County Tax	36392 03
Total State Tax	9271 33
Temporary loans	11500 00
County's share retail liquor license	885 00
Additional tax for 1898	169 91
" " 1899	7 46
Percentage for 1899	738 79
⅔ State tax refunded by State	6028 51
Rent from B. & L. Association	40 00
½ amount refunded by State for extinction of forest fires	18 26
Old lumber sold	22 00
½ paid by York Co., repairs to joint bridge	11 20
Fines returned by Justices	12 00
Costs from Elizabeth Gotwalt	30 00
" " Wm. Bair	7 00
" " John Hamilton	21 60
" " John O. Brown	16 89
" " John T. Weikert	10 03
" refunded by Wiley	2 96
Additional State tax on Gettysburg school bonds	60 00
	$84162 73

The outstanding taxes are in the hands of the following Collectors:

	1898	1899
Arendtsville bor., J. O. Hoffman	$35 28	$163 71
Bendersville bor., H. W. Elden	3 51	94 52
Berwick bor., Jacob Harman	19 79	145 13
Berwick twp., Henry Hoover	31	23 24
Butler twp., Willis Peters	31 16	622 11
Conowago twp., Geo. D. Rahn		587 64
Cumberland twp., A. V. Redding	16	115 45
East Berlin bor., H. W. King	58 77	285 79
Fairfield bor., J. J. Hare	09	87 42
Franklin twp., J. P. Stover		702 65
Freedom twp., J. F. Kettel		202 22
Germany twp., J. E. Bowers		307 08
Gettysburg bor., W. H. Frock	61 13	1061 47
Hamilton twp., H. T. Brown	54	287 31
Hamiltonban tp., U. H. Cromer		456 46
Huntington twp., G. W. Himes		469 07
Latimore twp., A. F. Bosserman	74 00	599 58
Liberty twp., J. A. Kime		226 12
Littlestown bor., H. B. Zercher	30	
M'Sherr'st'wn bor., F. X. Klunk	50	380 81
Menallen twp., Oliver Knouse		758 08
Mountjoy twp., J. W. Spangler	1 00	565 78
M'tpleasant tp., C. Strasbaugh		606 04
New Oxford bor., C. A. Ruff		102 14
Oxford twp., Henry Rinehart		163 01
Reading twp., Jacob Hikes		472 82
Straban tp. G. M. Raffensperger		605 26
Tyrone twp., W. F. Eaholtz	12 10	284 90
Union twp., Calvin Good		715 41
York Springs bor., J. A. Snowd'n		15 85
	299 27	11681 08

N. B.—The Collectors of Highland twp. and Littlestown bor. made settlement of the 1899 duplicate prior to Jan. 1st, and the Collector of Oxford twp. since.

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By vouchers paid as follows:

Fees of District Attorney	$248 00	
Alms-house	10053 00	
County Auditors' pay	183 00	
J. L. Kendlehart, auditing Co. offices	25 00	
Maintenance convicts at East. Penitentiary	812 62	
State tax on bonds	15 20	
State tax for 1899	9331 33	
Refunded tax	37 82	
Appropriation to County Institute	200 00	
Expressage	2 66	
A. J. Collins, fees	85 27	
" " certifying judgments	154 40	
J. B. McPherson, salary as Solicitor	125 00	
Postage	226 26	
S. P. Stover, fees, &c.	24 45	
" " certifying mortgages	28 70	
G. W. Koser, Clerk's fees	594 35	
E. P. Sacks, Clerk's salary	900 00	
R. H. Rupp, Janitor's salary	285 00	
" " extra pay	14 48	
Premiums and fees on scalps	51 25	
Quit rent	1 00	
Geo. Gordon, police services	10 00	
Chas. Kappes, " "	16 00	
A. Anson, repairing clock	50	
F. M. Knapp, decision of Warren Co. Court	3 00	
East Berlin F. C., protecting bridge	50 00	
Investigation of well near White Hall	9 00	
Photographing prisoners	75	
T. T. Tate, salary Physician to Jail	80 00	
" " extra pay	10 00	
L. A. Warren, et al., Fire Detectives	90 00	
Bonds and loans repaid	15800 00	
Aaron Freet, et al., Fire Wardens	58 97	
Stationery	115 84	
Jury Commissioners' pay	70 26	
Extracting teeth for prisoners	2 50	
Discount and interest	586 30	
Dockets	168 94	
Mending shoes for prisoners	10 45	
Burial of indigent soldiers	246 00	
Headstones for indigent soldiers	74 50	

Assessments and Registration.

May December registry	$1028 00	
Registrar registry, &c.	751 00	
Military births and deaths	64 70	
Assessment rollment	143 40	
[illegible] of 1900	1116 00	$3108 10

Summary Convictions and Dismissed Cases.

L. H. Meals, Esq., [illegible], costs	$165 05	
J. L. Hill, Jr., " "	158 49	
V. H. Lilly, " "	62 19	
S. H. Eaholtz, " "	28 63	$414 36

Poor Directors'.

Edw. Waltman, Esq., salary	$100 00	
" " expenses	61 50	
Isaac Bucher, Esq., salary	100 00	
" " expenses	55 50	
John A. Rockwell, Esq., salary	100 00	
" " expenses	54 00	$471 00

Advertising and Printing.

G. H. Buehler	$391 37	
Stable Bros.	149 25	
C. E. Stable	58 63	
D. B. Alleman	211 26	
J. E. Wible	17 50	$828 01

Elections.

G. H. Buehler, spring ballots	$175 00	
J. H. Wright & Co., elec'n blanks	49 12	
Spring election officers' pay	1201 14	
Advertising elec'n proclamat'n	324 37	
General election officers' pay	1040 20	
G. H. Buehler, ballots general election	275 00	$3064 83

Court Expenses.

General jury pay	$1426 08	
Grand " "	513 82	
Court officers' "	512 86	
Constables' "	509 56	
Stenographers' pay	119 50	
Commonwealth costs	875 30	$3957 12

Boarding Prisoners, &c.

F. M. Miller, boarding prisoners	$876 75	
Washing and mending for "	147 06	
Drawing and summoning jurors	135 00	
Report to Board Public Charities	40 00	
Commonwealth costs	51 25	
Gas for Jail	109 05	$1359 11

Commissioners' Pay.

Henry Hintz, Esq., 123 days	$430 50	
" " expenses	184 50	
A. G. Keeny, Esq., 122 days	427 00	
" " expenses	188 00	
James Devine, Esq., 125 days	437 50	
" " expenses	187 50	$1850 00

Merchandise.

Skelly & Warner	$37 10	
J. H. Sanders & Son	9 35	
W. J. Martin	9 45	
M. G. Comfort	9 18	
Wm. Ogden	1 20	
J. Geo. Wolf's Sons & Co.	4 15	
C. B. Kitzmiller	7 00	
G. Frank Meals	1 20	
S. G. Spangler & Co.	1 20	
N. Lieberman	18 95	
Mrs. A. C. Warner	20 00	
L. D. Miller	3 00	
H. F. Behler	7 00	$129 72

Sheep Damages.

H. S. Eker, Franklin twp.	$30 00	
L. E. [illegible]ouse, Hamiltonban twp.	8 50	
Jacob Walter, " "	20 50	
J. M. [illegible]sselman, " "	10 50	
W. P. [illegible]ilson, " "	6 50	
W. C. McGaughey, Highland twp.	7 50	
H. M. [illegible]rostle, " "	15 00	
Jos. Baldwin, Menallen twp.	11 25	
H. D. [illegible]amme, Straban twp.	12 00	
L. B. [illegible]agy, " "	10 00	
W. A. [illegible]aughinbaugh " "	10 00	
I. E. [illegible]utzahn, Tyrone twp.	9 00	$150 75

Road Damage.

D. P. McPherson, Attorney	$30 00	
C. G. [illegible]asselman	40 00	
L. C. [illegible]alth	12 50	
Samuel Walter	30 00	
J. L. [illegible]ott	40 00	$152 50

Bridges and Bridge Repairs.

Calvin Gilbert, bal. on contract	$1074 00	
" " extra work	26 00	
Sam'l Stouffer, bridge contract	237 00	
" " extra work	25 00	
J. F. [illegible]hs, bridge contract	792 00	
" " extra work	3 50	
Riffle & Leas, Supervisors of Union twp., appropriation to bridge	185 00	
Substructure of bridge at "Blue Spring"	161 36	
J. [illegible]enturff, repairs	3 75	
D. McCleaf, "	1 24	
S. Wagner, "	9 50	
Samuel Spangler, "	57 01	
Calvin Good, "	1 25	
Spangler & Hoov'r "	8 10	
J. Breen, "	4 75	
L. Bottorff, "	3 35	
Chas. Dannel, "	1 50	
A. J. [illegible]ank, "	131 85	
F. X. [illegible]ler, "	5 00	
Frank [illegible]secker, "	14 65	
L. [illegible]tenturff, "	5 00	
E. [illegible]secker, "	5 41	
J. M[illegible]der, "	3 50	
John [illegible]e, "	1 25	
S. S. Shriver, "	80 44	
John Collins, "	2 60	
W. M. Henry, "	28 73	
D. J. Sell, "	83 39	
D. F. Stitzel, "	14 95	
D. P. Weikert, "	2 00	
W. P. Wentz, "	6 12	
Isaac Pottorff, "	5 50	
J. R. Darone, "	4 20	
½ expense repairing joint bridge	53 65	
C. P. Krise, filling	5 50	
Walter Taylor, "	2 00	
Jos. Leib, "	2 00	
Edw. Redding "	1 75	
W. L. Snyder, "	3 00	
Jas. A. Wolf, "	1 00	
Samuel Baugher, "	50	
S. A. Kohler, "	4 00	
John Mackley, "	2 50	
J. C. Livelsperger, "	1 75	
J. B. Myers, "	13 00	
Frank Sneeringer, "	50	
Alex. Geiselman, "	1 00	
A. F. Gitt, "	4 65	
Sundry views	72 20	
" inspections	25 50	
Levi Miller, material	94 53	
J. Geo. Wolf's Sons & Co., "	79 36	
W. G. Leas, "	2 88	
Wm. Bushman, painting	31 00	
H. W. Fohl, "	28 00	$3562 36

Public Buildings.

C. H. Wilson, work at Court-house	$5 55	
I. Kauffman, wood for "	1 15	
C. Z. Tawney, work at Jail	1 25	
Peter Culp, " "	3 75	
Iron kettle for Jail	4 00	
John Linn, wheeling coal	1 50	
Geo. C. Gotwalt, repairs at Jail	15 63	
H. E. Minnigh, painting "	11 45	
Coal	278 21	
Amos Palmer, pump at Jail	30 00	
Peter Culp, making book cases	112 50	
L. Mizell, wood for Jail	6 00	
W. M. Henry, work at Jail	5 37	
H. C. Picking, insurance	20 72	
Gas for Court-house	46 04	
J. M. Minnigh, ice for Court-house	17 50	
R. C. Schriver, delivering coal	16 00	
Keller Essick, repairing chair	1 00	
W. H. Rupp, work at library	14 75	
Mumper & Bend'r, repair'g chair	1 75	
J. M. Blocher, indexing Prothonotary's office	700 00	
G. W. Stallsmith, book case	10 00	
Samuel Heck, whitewashing at Jail	1 25	
Geo. Slonaker, cleaning chimney	2 00	
Henry Stewart, M. D., attending prisoners	1 25	
Telephone rent	15 82	
Water rent	38 00	
R. L. Tipton, hauling at Jail	25	$1384 59
Collectors' fees for 1898		$557 38
Exonerations " "		825 84
" " 1899		17 42
Collectors' fees " "		950 34
Abatements " "		1386 56
Outstanding tax for 1898		299 27
" " 1899		11681 08
Timberland rebate		25 80
Fees of County Treasurer		1425 19
Balance due county		6254 90
		$84162 73

Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

ASSETS.

Outstanding tax	$11980 35	
Balance in treasury	6254 90	
		$18235 25

LIABILITIES.

Temporary loans	$10000 00	
		$10000 00
Net county assets		$8235 25

In testimony that the foregoing statement of the Receipts and Expenditures exhibited at the office of the Treasurer of said county is a correct and true copy as taken from and compared with the original remaining in the Books at this office, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed the seal of said office at Gettysburg, the 26th day of January, A. D., 1900.

GEO. Y. HEMLER,
JACOB F. DEARDORFF,
J. B. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

Attest—W. P. Devine, Clerk.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

To the Honorable, the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County.

WE, the undersigned duly elected Auditors, to settle and adjust the Public accounts of the Treasurer and Commissioners of said county, having been affirmed agreeably to law, do report the following to be a general statement of said account from the 2d day of January, 1899, to the 1st day of January, 1900.

JOHN A. LIVERS, Esq., Treasurer, and the Commissioners in account with the County of Adams, as follows:

DR.

Balance at last settlement	$5811 80	
Outstanding tax for 1898	11717 16	
Total dog tax	805 20	
" county tax	36392 03	
" State tax	9271 33	
Temporary loans	11500 00	
County's share retail liquor license	885 00	
Additional tax for 1898	109 91	
" " 1899	7 16	
Percentage for 1899	738 79	
⅔ State tax refunded by State	6028 51	
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Fines returned by justices	12 00	
Costs from sundry persons	272 08	
Additional State tax on Gettysburg school bonds	60 00	
		$84162 73

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By County orders for 1899	$60739 95	
Collectors' fees for 1898	557 38	
Exonerations " "	825 84	
" " 1899	17 42	
Collectors' fees " "	950 34	
Abatements " "	1386 56	
Outstanding tax for 1898	299 27	
" " 1899	11681 08	
Timberland rebate	25 80	
Fees of County Treasurer	1425 19	
Balance due county	6254 90	
		$84162 73

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the county of Adams, State of Pennsylvania, elected and affirmed in pursuance of the law, do report that we met, did audit, settle and adjust according to law, the accounts of the Treasurer and Commissioners of said county, commencing on the second day of January, A. D. 1899, and that said account as settled above, and entered on record book in the Commissioners' office of Adams county is correct, and that we find a balance due said county of Adams by John A. Livers, Esq., Treasurer, of Six thousand two hundred and fifty-four dollars and ninety cents ($6254.90), and the outstanding tax to be Eleven thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars and thirty-five cents ($11980.35).

In testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals at the office aforesaid on this 27th day of January, A. D., 1900.

SAMUEL REINECKER, [SEAL]
P. A. T. BOWERS, [SEAL]
J. H. MEHRING, [SEAL]
Feb. 6, 1900. 1t County Auditors.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON THURSDAY, the 8th day of MARCH, 1900, the undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Highland township, Adams county, Pa., ½ mile northwest of Knoxlyn Mills, on the road leading to McKnightstown Station, the following Personal Property, viz:

4 good Work HORSES, work wherever hitched, all good leaders, Bay Mare rising 12 years old, good saddle beast and leader, Bay Horse ri[illegible] years old, good plow leader, Bay Mare 1[illegible] Horse 7 years old, good worker; 14 Head of Horned Cattle, consisting of 9 Milk Cows, one fresh by day of sale, two in April, six fall cows, 2 Heifers 18 months old, 2 Steers 18 months old, Jersey Bull, fit for service, 6 head of butcher Steers, if not sold before sale will be sold at sale; 23 Head of Hogs, Chester White and Poland China crossed, consisting of 5 Brood Sows, two will farrow by day of sale, Chester White Boar, 17 Shoats; 2 broad-tread wagons for four or six horses, light two-horse wagon, two-horse spring wagon, falling-top buggy, Deering binder, 6-ft. cut, folding platform and sheave carrier, Adriance self-rake machine, 3 mowers, one a Deering, two Champions, all in good running order, two-horse rake, one a self-dump Tiger, 5 long plows, two are Oliver Chilled No. 40, spring harrows, Morgan spade harrow, spike harrow, single and double shovel plows, corn forks, sulkey corn plow, corn planter, York make, good as new, three-horse cultivator, single, double and triple-trees, grindstone, old iron, old buggy wheels, wagon tongues for two or four-horse wagon, bob sled, well ironed, with rubbers, plank sled, new wheelbarrows, Fahquar make, grain drill with phosphate attachment, lime bed for wagon 14 ft. long, hay carriages 18 ft. long, winnowing mills, cutting box, bag wagon, Fairbank scales, weigh 400 lbs., jack arier, jack screw, horse-power and threshing machine, manure boards, blacksmith tools, consisting of bellows, anvil, vice, hammers, tongs, etc., basket sleigh, grain cradle, Brinizer make, mowing scythes and snaths, cross-cut saw, double-bit axes, mattock, log chains, fifth chain, rough-lock, cow, breast and butt chains, gears, front gears, breechbands, collars, blind bridles, halters, horse lines, check lines, buggy harness, pitch forks, manure forks, grain bags, saddles.

Also HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE, consisting of churn and stand, gallon stone jars, buckets, chairs, cider barrels and kegs, meat benches, sausage grinder and stuffer, lard press, iron kettle and pots, 8 scaps of bees and many other articles too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 9 o'clock a. m., sharp. A credit of 11 months will be given on sums of $5 and upwards with notes with approved security. JOHN BUTT.

George J. Martz, Auct. Feb. 6. 1s

REMOVAL SALE

18 DAYS MORE 18

It is the opportunity to get great bargains in

Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats
Pants, Underwear and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Summer Clothing, Straw and Cloth Hats also displayed.
Stiff and Soft Hats, a large stock

Suits and Trousers made to order at a big reduction, the entire stock is sacrificed

20 to 50 Per. Cent.

Greatest Bargains ever offered to the public.

Feb. 24, last day the store will be open. Don't wait until the last week, you may not get waited on. We can't accommodate too big a rush.

J. H. MYERS,
TAILOR, CLOTHIER AND FURNISHER,
No. 11 Baltimore St.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

Dougherty & Hartley.

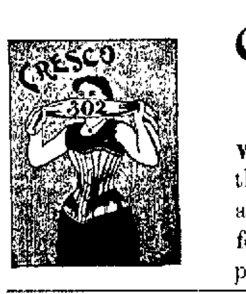
OUR STORE FOR THE PAST WEEK has been filled to over-flowing with new goods bought in advance of a rising market. We aim to make this year the largest we have had for some years, and have taken pains and cash to be forehanded in our purchases of Spring Goods, and can assure you special prices on almost our entire stock, in face of the prices now at mill or jobber.

New Percals,
New Dress Goods,
New Shirting Prints,
New Ginghams,
New Carpets,
New Mattings,
New Oil Cloth,
New Rugs,
New Window Shades
and Curtains,

AT OLD
PRICES
—FOR—
FEBRUARY.

Another lot of the Mill End Table Linens just received. Price 43 cts., worth 60c.

Domestic Muslin Sheetings, Shirting, Prints, Ginghams, Cottonades, &c. We invite comparison of quality for price.



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A corset that cannot break at the waist line must be more satisfactory to the wearer than the breakable sorts. Try a "Cresco" Corset—contentment is sure to follow. New stock all in; size range complete.

GRAND CHARITY CONCERT.

XAVIER OPERA HOUSE

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 22,

—BY THE—

I. O. O. F. MINSTRELS.

ADMISSION 15c. RESERVED SEATS 25c.

Seats on Sale at Codori's Drug Store, Feb. 15.

Come and Enjoy an Evening by Refined Minstrelsy.

Among the features of the program will be Catchy Songs, Dancing, Musical Specialities, Cake-walks, Character Sketches and Farces.

The proceeds will be given to the different churches of the town for distribution among the deserving poor.

Come and Help the Good Cause Along.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON FRIDAY, the 9th day of MARCH, 1900, the undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale at his residence on the Henry Stock farm, in Hamilton township, Adams county, Pa., midway between New Oxford and Abbottstown, on the road leading from the Carlisle pike to Abbottstown, 2 miles from the former and 2 miles from the latter place, the following personal property, viz:

5 Head of HORSES and MULES, pair light Roan Kentucky Mules, 16 hands high, 9 years old, both leaders and work wherever hitched; pair dark Roan Kentucky Mules, 5 years old and 15 hands high, both good leaders and work anywhere; dapple Roan Mare 6 years old, perfectly safe and gentle, good driver and works wherever hitched. 28 Head of Horned Cattle consisting of 9 milk cows, three of them Jerseys liable to registry, 2 fall Cows, some will be fresh by day of sale, 12 Heifers, including five Western Durhams, some will be fresh by day of sale, 5 Bulls, fat bull and Jersey thoroughbred, from 2½ years to yearlings. This stock consists of Durhams, Holstein and Jerseys. 11 Head of Southdown Sheep, eight ewes, one buck and two fat wethers; 50 Head of Shoats and pigs, including three brood sows, will have pigs by day of sale, Berkshire and Poland China crossed; 2 farm wagons, one a four-inch tread, low, for four horses, the other a three and one-half inch tread, thimble-skein, home-made, with bed, good as new, for four or six horses; one horse wagon with bed, spring wagon good as new, spring wagon pole, new buggy spread, bay carriages, 20 feet long, rail carriage, threshing machine and power, Diehl's make, comb e carrier and 65 ft. of rod, all complete, good as new, new Jones Plano binder, cut 80 acres, truck and sheaf carrier complete, Walter A. Wood mower, [illegible] seasons, winnowing mill, Shriner make, good as new, cutting box, Spangler corn sheller, bay fork, 12[illegible] ft. of rope, pulleys, Crown grain drill, with phosphate attachment, Spangler corn planter with phosphate attachment, horse rake, good as new, Mount Joy plows, spring-tooth harrows, lever harrow, spike harrow, Hench & Drumgold sulkey corn worker, corn forks, double shovel plows, single shovel plow, new clover seed sower, land roller, dung boards, wagon jack, sled, basket sleigh, dump stable hook, Star chopping mill, grain cradle, fifth chain with spreader, three horse spreader, single and double trees, log chains, breast, butt and cow chains, steer chains, scoop and other shovels, manure and pitch forks, mattock and pick, breechbands, front gears, wagon and side saddles, blind and Yankee bridles, collars, housings, flynets, double harness, halters, plow and check lines, shaft carrier, hay knives, dinner bell, cross-cut saw, scaps of bees, 25 grain bags.

Also the following HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES; bedstead, parlor coal stove and pipe, chairs, iron kettle, brooms, barrel of vinegar, churn, potatoes by the bushel, and many other articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 9 o'clock sharp. A credit of 12 months will be given on all sums of $5.00 and upwards by purchasers giving their notes with approved security.

SIMON C. KIME.
Geo. Colestock, Auct. J. H. Flickinger, Clerk.
Feb. 6, ts*

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 3d day of MARCH, 1900, the undersigned will sell at his stable in the rear of the Gettysburg Canning Factory, in this place, the following Personal Property, viz:

One pair of GRAY MARES, 6 years old, one BAY MARE 7 years old, one GRAY MARE, 7 years old, all four are good drivers and workers; 3 Milk Cows, two will be fresh in May and one in August; 5 Head of Young Cattle, 2 Brood Sows, one will have pigs by day of sale; 30 Head of Shoats, running from 40 to 80 lbs.; 2 Western wagons, one horse and two and three horse wagons, spring wagons, 16 ft. hay ladder, spike harrow, Hench & Drumgold corn planter, sulkey corn workers and cultivators, 5 foot McCormick mower, and 7 foot McCormick binder, one winnowing mill, cutting boxes, Thomas & Ludlow grain drill, double sets of Yankee harness, buggy and spring wagon harness, front gears, double buggy harness, check and plow lines, double and triple-trees, breast, butt and cow chains, 35 Pekin ducks, lot of chickens, barrels, shutters, blinds and doors, and many other articles too numerous to mention. All these farming implements are as good as new. Sale will commence at 12 o'clock m. when terms and conditions will be made known by

MERVILLE E. STALLSMITH
J. M. Caldwell, Auct. P. A. Miller, Clerk.
Feb. 6, ts.

CLOSING-OUT SALE

Intending to discontinue the

Clothing Business,

I will offer my entire stock of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Hats, Caps and Gents' Furnishing Goods at 60 Cents on the dollar.

Men's	$4.00	Suits	@	$2.50
"	6.00	"	"	3.60
"	8.50	"	"	4.90
"	10.00	"	"	6.00
"	15.00	"	"	9.00
Boy's	3.75	"	"	2.25
"	5.00	"	"	3.00
"	7.50	"	"	4.50

Children's Suits, sizes 3 to 16.

$1.25	Suit	@	.77c
2.00	"		$1.20
3.00	"		1.80
4.50	"		2.70

Men's Overcoats, sizes 35, 36, 37, at $1.67.
" $7.50 Overcoats, Blue Beaver, at 4.50
" Finest Satin Lined $15.00 Beaver Overcoats at $9.00.

All other goods in the same proportion. Everything must be closed out by April 1st, so call early for first choice.

LIEBERMAN'S
Popular Price Clothing House,
Cor. YORK ST. and CENTRE SQ.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

FEBRUARY
CLEARANCE SALE.

DURING THIS MONTH ONLY, ALL WINTER GOODS WILL BE SOLD AT COST.

Muslins, Sheetings, Tickings, Cottonades and Cassimeres at Old Prices.

10 1-4 Bed Blankets,	49c
Horse "	63c
Heavy Lined Duck Coats,	79c
Felt Boots Complete,	$1 69
Men's Buckle Arctics,	1.29
" Underwear, full suits,	39c

Calicoes, 3, 4 and 5 cts.
Outing Cloths 5c a yard.,
All Wool Dress Goods 19c per yard,
Caps at Cost.
N. O. Molasses 35c per gal.
Pure Sugar Syrup 25c "

Don't Miss This Sale, Feb. Only,
E. M. STEVENS,
BIGLERVILLE, PA.

J. H. Sanders & Son,
BALTIMORE STREET.
Builders and Mechanics' Hardware,
Paints, Oils, Glass, &c,
We are agents for the celebrated GENUINE ROYAL READY-MIXED PAINT, the king of all ready-mixed paints; one trial and you will use no other.
Saddlery and Carriage Hardware, Robes. Horse Blankets, House Furnishing Goods,
and a full and complete line of Shovels, Hoes, Forks, Rakes and Chains. Iron and Steel.
All our goods have been bought for Cash and will be sold at rock bottom prices. Come in.
May 8, 1894. tf

GLOBE HOTEL,
GETTYSBURG, PA.
Lewis Ramer, Proprietor.
READY TO RECEIVE ALL OLD PATRONS, AND NEW ONES THAT COME THIS WAY.

The One Day Cold Cure.
Cold in head and sore throat cured by Kermott's Chocolates Laxative Quinine. As easy to take as candy. "Children cry for them."
For sale by H. S. BENNER

The Compiler.

Gettysburg, Pa., Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1900.

RAISING HOGS.

SOME SUGGESTIONS ON THIS PROFITABLE INDUSTRY ON THE FARM.

In raising hogs for profit the first step in the right direction is to secure good brood sows. Often a sow may look all right but a trial will convince one that she will not make a good brood sow. When I started to raise hogs I bought four young sows that were already bred to a pure-bred Poland-China boar. The sows were good grades. Three of them raised pigs and the fourth failed. The next year I made the great mistake of breeding everything that was large enough and the result was several sows died in trying to deliver their young. Since that time I have always picked out the best-shaped sows from the mothers that have no trouble in pigging, those that take the best care of their offspring and raise the best pigs and largest number of them. I have never failed to have good litters since adopting this plan and have never lost a sow at pigging time. Every man has his ideal of a good brood sow. I prefer one with a small, well-shaped head, short nose, ears medium size, slightly hanging down, broad, deep shoulders, straight back and deep hind quarters with bone according to size of hog I wish to raise. The next thing is to select a good male. I have always used a Poland-China and find them well adapted to my purpose. I select the male with reference to the kind of sows I wish to breed. If the sows are too light boned I select a heavy-boned male, and if too heavy boned and coarse I select a light, smooth-boned male and in this way keep a good, medium size well proportioned. We cannot all have fancy hog houses (I have never been fortunate enough yet to have a good one) but we can have dry, warm places without very much cost or labor. If lumber is out of the question for a roof, slough hay and poles will make a good substitute. It should be built on high ground where water will readily run away from it. In winter it can be banked around with coarse manure or straw and be made very comfortable. The hog is the most neglected animal on the farm both as to shelter and feed. Many farms have no shelter for them whatever, and, perhaps only a manure pile for a bed. Nothing responds better to good treatment than the hog and it can be turned into money about as quick as anything on the farm. I raise two litters a year from each sow; I can not afford to keep them the year round for one. The first comes along in February and the second the latter part of August or the 1st of September. Brood sows should have a good pasture to run in in summer and winter and a good floor, kept clean, to feed on, and a long trough for slop should be provided. They should not be fed too much corn nor allowed to get too fat during pregnancy. Corn, oats and barley equal parts, either ground or whole, makes a good feed for them, and a few beets or pumpkins occasionally are excellent during the fall and winter. I always wean pigs when they are from six to eight weeks old. I always teach them to drink milk before they are weaned by having a seperate pen where they can go in and out at will it is an easy matter to wean them by just closing up the hole in the fence whenever you are ready. In this way the pigs are able to look after themselves and grow along. I like to feed them grain and roots in such proportions that they will be kept in good, thrifty condition until four months old when corn is the chief diet. My early pigs are fed very little grain during summer until new corn comes, then I increase gradually until they are used to it, when I give them all they will eat and they are ready for market before cold weather comes. My idea is to keep the hogs in such condition that they can be quickly placed on the market. My [illegible] fall pigs are allowed to run during the winter until March, then I shut them in a lot, giving them ample room for exercise, and increase corn gradually until I give them all they can eat. I feed shelled corn, soaked for 12 hours, whenever it is possible, and I have never found anything yet to equal it for putting on good, solid pork in so short a time. It should be fed in a trough and kept clean. Just feed enough so they will eat it up clean, three times a day. Keep wood ashes with lime and salt mixed together where they can get at it and also plenty of clean water. Give them a good bed in a warm place in winter and plenty of shade in summer and there will no trouble in making them weigh from 250 to 300 pounds at eight to nine months old. In this way I sell fall pigs before hot weather comes and spring pigs before cold weather, thus avoiding two extremes.—A writer in the *Prairie Farmer.*

Every farmer knows that when a mild spell of weather occurs in winter the hens begin to lay, and then cease when the temperature is low. This fact demonstrates that warmth has much influence on laying, and that warm quarters are essential to egg production. When the hens can go on the field in the spring and forage they secure a large amount of insect food. During the winter a substitute for such foods may be allowed in the form of cut bone, ground meat, fresh meat and a change of grains. Corn and wheat make excellent foods during cold weather, but a variety of foods must be given in order to have the hens produce eggs.

It takes time for manure to show full effect in the soil, and but little benefit may be noticed the first year, but gradually the materials will decompose and return to the soil the original elements derived therefrom. Some farmers are occasionally disappointed with the use of manure, but the benefits from manure the first year depend largely upon its condition when applied to the soil.

AN EASY TEST.

If you are suffering from Kidney or Bladder disease, the doctor asks: "Do you desire to urinate often, and are you compelled to get up frequently during the night? Does your back pain you? Does your urine stain linen? Is there a scalding pain in passing it, and is it difficult to hold the urine back?" If so, your Kidneys or Bladder are diseased."

Try putting some of your urine in a glass tumbler, let it stand twenty-four hours. If there is a sediment, or a cloudy, milky appearance your Kidneys are sick.

Dr David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will surely relieve and cure even the most distressing cases of these dread diseases, and no physician can prescribe a medicine that equals it for diseases of the Kidneys, Liver, Bladder and Blood, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia and Chronic Constipation. It will promptly correct the bad effects of beer and whiskey. All drug stores sell it for one dollar a bottle.

By sending your address to the DR. DAVID KENNEDY CORPORATION, Rondout, N. Y., and mentioning this paper a trial bottle, together with pamphlet of valuable medical advice, will be sent you free postpaid by mail. Our readers can depend upon the genuineness of this liberal offer.

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—IN—

Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes.

Designed to Fit the Feet and Please the Eye.

WEARING QUALITIES UNEXCELLED.

Prices that will suit.

Latest "Things" in Hats and Caps.

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C. B. KITZMILLER.

MARRY!

GET a girl,
GET her consent,
GET a license,
GET married;

—THEN—

Send us your name and address and we will send you the COMPILER one year free as a wedding present. This offer is good only to those who reside in Adams county, and to those who have married or will marry in 1900. A postal card will do the work. Address it to

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Cure Cold in Head

Kermott's Chocolates Laxative Quinine easy to take and quick to cure cold in head and sore throat.

For Sale by H. S. BENNER

C. C. SEFTON,

FASHIONABLE BARBER,

Baltimore St., near Middle

Razors, Strops, Perfumery, Soaps, &c. for sale in great variety. July 27, 1897. tf

REWARD.

We, the undersigned druggists, offer a reward of 50 cents to any person who purchases of us two 25-cent boxes of Baxter's Mandrake Bitters Tablets, if it fails to cure constipation, biliousness, sick-headache, Jaundice, loss of appetite, sour stomach, dyspepsia, liver complaint or any of the diseases for which it is recommended. Price 25 cents for either tablet or liquid. We will also refund the money on one package of either if it fails to give satisfaction. For sale by **L. M. Buehler,** Gettysburg Pa.

Record Your Deeds.

By examination of the late Act of the Legislature, approved May, 19th, A. D., 1893, it will be seen that all Deeds and Conveyances made and executed after the passage of this Act, *SHALL* be recorded in the office for the Recording of Deeds, etc. within ninety days or else be adjudged fraudulent and void as to any subsequent purchaser.

All persons holding unrecorded Deeds will see the importance of having them recorded without delay.

H. G. WEHLER,
jan.1,'00. tf Recorder.

Robes and Blankets

Before buying a **Robe** or **Blanket** call and see my stock. It is better than ever and prices right. I bought all of my blankets direct from the mills and am therefore prepared to sell them at right prices, also have a nice line of **Harness** at right prices.

Repairing a Specialty.

CALL TO SEE ME BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE.

J. H. COLLIFLOWER,
42 Chambersburg St.,
GETTYSBURG, PA

—HOP LEE—

CHINESE LAUNDRY,

No. 10 Carlisle Street.

Collars and Cuffs done up in any style, with or without gloss; snow white and very stiff. All work done by hand, and not hard on the goods.

Give us a call. We try to please. Satisfaction guaranteed on all work done. Best pure tea for sale. He buys Ginseng Root.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

—AT—

PRIVATE SALE.

THE PROPERTY belonging to the Heirs of SUSAN ONLY, situate in Cumberland township, fronting on the Taneytown road, lately occupied by John Only, deceased, is for sale.

For terms and conditions apply to
Oct. 10, 1899. ts J. L. BUTT.

Johnston's Sarsaparilla

QUART BOTTLES.

A SIGNAL OF DISTRESS.

JUST SEEN IN TIME.

Slight Skin Eruptions are a Warning of Something More Serious to Come. The Only Safe Way is to Heed the Warning. Johnston's Sarsaparilla is the Most Powerful Blood Purifier Known.

Nature, in her efforts to correct mistakes, which mistakes have come from careless living, or it may be from ancestors, shoots out pimples, blotches and other imperfections on the skin, as a warning that more serious troubles (perhaps tumors, cancers, erysipelas or pulmonary diseases) are certain to follow if you neglect to heed the warning and correct the mistakes.

Many a lingering, painful disease and many an early death has been avoided simply because these notes of warning have been heeded and the blood kept pure by a right use of JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA.

Miss Abbie J. Rande, of Marshall, Mich., writes:

"I was cured of a bad humor after suffering with it for five years. The doctors and my friends said it was salt rheum. It came out on my head, neck and ears, and then on my whole body. I was perfectly raw with it. What I suffered during those five years, is no use telling. Nobody would believe me if I did. I tried every medicine that was advertised to cure it. I spent money enough to buy a house. I heard JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA highly praised. I tried a bottle of it. I began to improve right away, and when I had finished the third bottle I was completely cured. I have never had a touch of it since. I never got any thing to do me the least good till I tried JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA. I would heartily advise all who are suffering from humors or skin disease of any kind to try it at once. I had also a good deal of stomach trouble, and was run down and miserable, but JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA made me all right."

The blood is your life and if you keep it pure and strong you can positively resist disease or face contagion fearlessly. JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA never fails. It is for sale by all druggists, in full quart bottles at only one dollar each.

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There are few women as beautiful as they might be. Powder and paint and cosmetics don't make good looks. Beauty is simply an impossibility without health. Beautiful women are few because healthy women are few. The way to have a fair face and a well-rounded figure is to take

Bradfield's Female Regulator

This is that old and time-tried medicine that cures all female troubles and weaknesses and drains. It makes no difference what the doctors call the trouble, if there is anything the matter in the distinctly feminine organs, **Bradfield's Female Regulator** will help and cure it. It is good for irregular or painful menstruation; for leucorrhœa, for falling of the womb, for nervousness, headache, backache and dizziness. Take it and get well. Then your old-time girlish features and figure will be restored.

Sold by druggists for $1 a bottle.

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From Capt. T. Love, Police Station No. 5, Montreal:—"We frequently use PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER for *pains in the stomach, rheumatism, stiffness, frost bites, chilblains, cramps,* and all afflictions which befall men in our position. I have no hesitation in saying that PAIN-KILLER is *the best remedy* to have near at hand."

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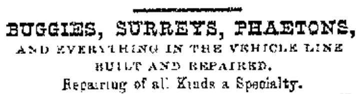

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April 10, '94, tf

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A WORD of great interest to some, of no interest to others. Some want it and cannot get it, others have it and cannot use it. Some have the money but not the time, many have the time but not the money. If they had the education they could get both the others.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED write us. You need not have money, you need not have time, we can give you a thorough course in BUSINESS:

Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Civil Service

and all other commercial branches, BY MAIL. If you have not the money we will give you means to earn some.

PRACTICAL BUSINESS SCHOOL,
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Nov. 21, '99. 1y Harrisburg, Pa.

PILES Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays the itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and Itching of the private parts. Every box is warranted. By druggists, or mail on receipt of price. 50 cents and $1.00. WILLIAMS MANUFACTURING CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by L. M. BUEHLER.

Western Maryland R. R.

TAKING EFFECT OCTOBER 1, 1899.

BALTIMORE & HARRISBURG DIVISION.

EASTWARD.

Leave	a. m.		p. m.
Hagerstown	7 02		2 07
Edgemont	7 32		2 38
Shippensburg	8 00		
Chambersburg	6 31		1 45
Waynesboro	7 05	Mix.	2 18
Highfield	7 50		2 58
Fairfield	8 16		3 24
Orrtanna	8 24		3 33
McKnightstown	8 28		3 38
Seven Stars	8 32		3 42
Gettysburg	8 43		3 52
New Oxford	9 05		4 11
Berlin Junction	9 09	a. m.	4 18
Hanover	9 22	6 10	4 31
Porters	9 38	6 20	4 45
Sinsheim	9 42	6 25	4 50
Green Ridge	9 51	6 33	5 11
Glenville	9 58	6 35	5 [illegible]
Lineboro	10 04	6 41	5 12
Alesia	10 11	6 51	5 20
Green Mount	10 21	7 01	5 31
Hampstead	10 25	7 05	5 35
Arcadia	10 31	7 13	5 43
Woodensburg	10 41	7 25	5 54
Emory Grove	10 45	7 30	5 58
Arrive Baltimore	11 29	8 40	6 57

WESTWARD.

	a. m.	a. m.	
Baltimore	7 22	10 17	3 32
Emory Grove	8 22	11 17	4 15
Woodensburg	8 26	11 21	4 19
Arcadia	8 36	11 31	4 30
Hampstead	8 45	11 38	4 37
Green Mount	8 47	11 42	4 42
Alesia	8 57	11 53	4 54
Lineboro	9 05	12 00	5 00
Glenville	9 13	12 08	5 11
Green Ridge	9 15	12 10	5 13
Sinsheim	9 25	12 20	5 20
Porters	9 32	12 25	5 27
Hanover	9 46	12 37	5 39
Berlin Junction	9 59	12 45	5 52
New Oxford	10 03	12 51	5 55
Gettysburg	10 28	1 12	6 20
Seven Stars	10 37		6 29
McKnightstown	10 40		6 32
Orrtanna	10 45		6 37
Fairfield	10 56		6 48
Highfield	11 25		7 16
Arrive	p. m.		
Waynesboro	12 02		7 52
Chambersburg	12 39		8 28
Shippensburg	1 06		8 55
Hagerstown	12 10		8 00
Williamsport			8 20

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The owner of land that is too poor to produce paying crops can soon make it more fertile if he has the cash to purchase commercial fertilizers, but if his farm is mortgaged he has other uses for his money and should try to save all the stable manure he can. The greatest losses of stable manure are caused by failing to have plenty of bedding to absorb the liquid manure, by throwing the manure where the rain and snow will wash away the soluble portion, and by allowing it to heat or fire fang. These losses can all be prevented by a little care. For bedding, says a writer in *Ohio Farmer,* I generally use wheat straw, but the failure of the wheat crop this year in this section was so complete that I have no straw of my own, and my neighbors having none. I will have to depend on saw-dust, forest leaves and clover haulm to take the place of the straw. Since the wheat failed I am convinced I have never valued the straw highly enough in the past. To prevent loss by leaching I had a shed built adjoining the horse and cow stable, where I throw the manure. In this shed I stable the young cattle and keep some hogs. As some have no shed for this purpose they can prevent the loss by leaching by letting the manure accumulate in the stalls until they have a wagon load, then haul it to the field. By using this plan we gain by saving all the strength of the manure and by not having to haul a large amount of surplus water to the field as water soaked manure is heavier than that from the shed. Another gain in having the manure dry is that we can haul it when the ground is frozen solid. This does not injure the ground, but when manure is thrown out where it is exposed to the rain it will sometimes freeze so hard that it cannot be hauled until spring when other work is plenty. While manure sheds prevent loss by leaching, manure will heat and lose most of its value as quickly in the shed as out of doors if nothing is done to prevent it. Of the two losses that by heating is the greatest. I would rather have manure that has been exposed to the rain and snow all winter than that which has lost about all its strength by heating and would not improve the ground much more than the same quantity of straw. To prevent heating, after cleaning the stables I go to the shed and spread the piles of manure evenly about the shed. By doing this the fresh manure is soon trampled solid by the young cattle and hogs and the only place it fire fangs is near the edge of the shed. While covered barnyards, manure sheds and cement floors are all aids in saving manure, those who cannot afford them can save the manure with very little loss if they use plenty of bedding under their stock and haul the manure directly from the stable to the field. By covering the manure under the stock with fresh bedding there will be no offensive odor in the stables and as the manure is tightly packed by the tramping of the stock there is little loss by heating. The main drawback is that when this plan is followed on account of the limited amount of room it is sometimes necessary to haul manure to the fields when the ground is soft. By hauling the manure to the distant parts of the field when the ground is solid, and covering the portion near the gate when the ground is soft, most of the damage of the soil caused by hauling the manure can be avoided.

BEN DAVIS APPLES.

Those who minister to the wants or pleasures of mankind are often comparatively unknown. The Ben Davis apple, in many ways, has given pleasure to thousands, and brought dollars to hundreds; but no one knows who Ben Davis was, or where he lived or died. All that is known of its history is that it came into favor with orchard planters, in the southwest, and the name traveled with the tree. In the markets of Philadelphia, there are probably more of this variety offered for sale during December and January than any other. Its ruddy cheeks on a pale yellow ground are tempting, and its eating qualities are by no means poor; yet it could not be classed as specially fine, but as an all-around variety, it has popular points. And, then, it is a good tree for the marketman, in this, that it does not take as many years to come into bearing as some kinds, like the Northern Spy, for instance, and is a regular, yearly bearer —not requiring the resting [illegible] sells that [illegible] to be no some demand—and see[illegible]ses that feast on favorite with apple dis[illegible]ther it is a safe [illegible]ther kinds. Alto[illegible] variety to plant.—*Meehans' Monthly.*

Sod land that was plowed last fall will cause considerable trouble this spring if it is not properly turned over—that is, if the sod was not completely inverted. It should be plowed again in the spring and then worked well with a disc harrow. The disc harrow should be used again before corn is planted. Unless the grass has been destroyed there will be sufficient growth on some fields to injure the young corn. The best mode of reducing sod land is to plow the land in July and seed it in Hungarian grass. The field can then be plowed in October, or sooner, if preferred.

THE FORUM.

The Forum for February contains many articles of great merit, nearly all written by well-known authorities. Lieut.-Gen. Den Beer Poortugæl, of the Holland Privy Council, contributes the leading article on "The Relation of England to the Transvaal"; an able paper is furnished on "The People's Party" by Senator Marion Butler, Chairman of the People's Party National Executive Committee. President Charles Dabney, of the University of Tennessee, writes a timely article on "Washington's University." Two papers on the Old-Age Pension Problem in England are contributed by two eminent men, the first by Michael Davitt, M. P., on "A Plea for Old-Age Pensions," and the second by Rt. Hon. W. H. Lecky, the brilliant English historian, on "Why I Oppose Old-Age Pensions." David Willcox throws new light on "The Futility of the Anti-Trust Issue," and William R. Thayer writes an unusually convincing paper on "Longevity and Degeneration."

A HUSH falls upon the court.

"Do you know the prisoner at the bar?" asks the counsel.

"When I've got the price I know everybody at the bar," protests the Colonel, from the witness stand with dignity.

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A Narrow Escape.

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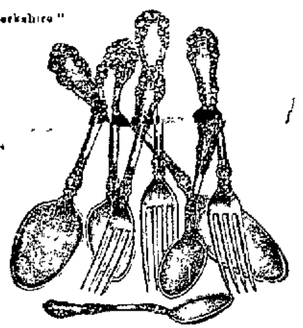

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LEAVE	2	4	6	8	10
	*A M	†A M	†A M	†P M	*P M
Winchester		7 30		2 30	
Martinsburg		8 15	11 35	3 17	
Hagerstown	6 45	9 00	12 20	4 05	10 22
Greencastle	7 06	9 22	12 42	4 28	10 42
Chambersburg	7 28	9 45	1 05	5 00	11 05
Shippensburg	7 48	10 05	1 24	5 20	11 25
Newville	8 05	10 24	1 41	5 40	11 44
Carlisle	8 26	10 46	2 06	6 05	12 06
Gettysburg	7	11 05	4 35		
Mechanicsburg	8 45	11 07	2 27	6 27	12 27
Ar. Harrisburg	9 00	11 25	2 45	6 46	12 45
		P M	P M	P M	A M
Ar. Phila	11 48	3 00	5 47	10 20	4 35
" New York	2 13	5 53	8 08	3 53	7 13
	P M	P M	P M	P M	A M

Additional trains will leave Carlisle for Harrisb'g d'ly, exc't Sunday, at 6:50, 7:05 a.m., 12:40 p.m., 3:40 p.m., 9:10 p.m., and from Mechanicsb'rg at 6:14, 7:29, 9:00 a.m., 1:05 p.m., 4:05 p.m., 5:25 p.m. and 9:35 p.m., stopping at Second street, Harrisburg, to let off passengers.

Trains Nos. 2 and 10 run daily between Harrisburg and Hagerstown.

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LEAVE	1	3	5	7	9
	P M	A M	A M	P M	A M
New York	7 55	12 10		8 55	2 10
Phila	11 20	4 30	8 50	12 25	‡4 35
		*		†	*
	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M
Harrisburg	5 00	7 55	11 45	3 50	7 55
Mechanicsburg	5 19	8 13	12 05	4 10	8 15
Gettysburg		10 18	1 55	6 00	
Carlisle	5 41	8 35	12 27	4 33	8 36
Newville	6 03	8 58	12 50	4 56	9 00
Shippensburg	6 22	9 16	1 10	5 15	9 17
Chambersburg	6 42	9 38	1 35	5 42	9 40
Greencastle	7 09	10 02	1 55	6 02	10 00
Hagerstown	7 33	10 20	2 17	6 27	10 20
Martinsburg	8 24	11 20		7 10	
Ar. Winchester	9 10	12 35		7 55	
	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M

Additional local trains will leave Harrisburg daily, except Sunday, for Carlisle and intermediate stations 9:35 a.m., 2:00 p.m., 5:15 p.m., 6:25 and 10:55 p.m., also for Mechanicsburg, Dillsburg and intermediate stations at 7:38 a.m. All of the above trains will stop at Second street, Harrisburg, to take on passengers.

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Under the direction of the agricultural experiment stations thousands of simple cooperative experiments in which farmers take part are now annually carried on in different parts of the country. They consist principally in the growing of different kinds of crops, such as wheat, grasses, sugar beets, vegetables, and fruits, or in the testing of different kinds of fertilizers as applied to the soils and crops in different localities. These experiments are performed in accordance with plans furnished by the experiment stations; and when they are conducted in the most effective way the cooperating farmers are visited, from time to time, by the officers in immediate charge of the experiments. Usually the experiment stations furnish the seeds, fertilizers or other materials to be used in the experiments, while the farmers supply the land and the labor.

When such experiments are wisely planned and thoroughly executed they often give results of considerable value, especially as showing of the investigations of the experiment stations may be most successfully applied to farm practice. In the early days of the experiment stations in this country, for example, much was learned regarding the fertilizer requirements of farm lands in the Eastern States, by a large series of cooperative experiments. More recently it has been determined, through such experiments, in what parts of the country beets having a sufficiently high sugar content to be used in the manufacture of sugar are likely to be profitably grown. In the sugar-beet experiments thousands of farmers cooperated, and all the States and Territories were included in the work.

But the chief value of cooperative experiments lies in their educational effect. They bring the advantages of the agricultural colleges and experiment stations home to many farmers who would otherwise know little or nothing of them. They convince many doubting farmers that, after all, science may be able to teach some interesting and important lessons which will be of practical benefit to agriculture. The farms on which the experimental plats are located become centres of light and inspiration to the farming community around them. The experiment suggests that possibly it may be better to deviate from the old routine, that there may be new crops and new methods which it would be well for the farmer to know about and perhaps to introduce. They stir up much discussion as to the advantages or disadvantages of the results published by the experiment station, and take many farmers on excursions of thought, if not of action, out into the new world of progress in agricultural science and practice, about which they very likely had known nothing prior to the advent of actual experiments in their midst.—"Universal Extension in Agriculture," by A. C. TRUE in the *February Forum.*

A CHARACTERISTIC OF THE NINETEENTH CENTURY.

What has been the chief characteristic of the nineteenth century? No two critics agree, nor can they, because each prefers a different quality. One singles out science, another invention, as the dominant trait. A third who looks mainly at the political aspect of life, says democracy. Others, again, say pessimism, philanthropy, doubt, or toleration. So many features, so much diversity, argue at least for many-sidedness.

There is one characteristic, however, which distinguishes the nineteenth century from previous centuries—a characteristic which has become too common to attract the attention it deserves, although it really measures all the rest; this is longevity. During the past one hundred years the length of life of the average man in the United States and in the more civilized parts of Europe has increased from a little over 30 to about 40 years. A multitude of causes, mostly physical, have contributed to this result. Foremost among these should be placed (1) whatever may be included under the general term sanitation; (2) improved methods in medicine; (3) the more regular habits of living, which are the direct outcome of industrial life on a large scale. These are some of the evident means by which life has been lengthened. Inventions, which have made production cheap and the transportation of all products both cheap and easy, have had an influence too great to be computed. And no doubt much has been due to a general improvement in methods of government; although, in the main, there has been much less progress in practical government than is commonly supposed. No great railroad company or banking house or manufacturing corporation could prosper if its officers and employees were chosen and kept in office according to the system by which political offices, almost everywhere, are filled. "None but experts wanted," is the sign written over the entrance to every profession, trade, and occupation—except government.

But, whatever governments have done or left undone, the fact to be insisted on here is, that the average man to-day lives about ten years longer than his grandfather lived. Indisputably, therefore, the year 1900 finds conditions more conducive to longevity than existed a century ago. This is true beyond question for the masses, who feel immediately the effects of plenty, hunger and cold—the great physical dispensers of life and death.—"Longevity and Degeneration," by WILLIAM R. THAYER in the *February Forum.*

A Story About Wilberforce.

Before he became a bishop he had been archdeacon of Surrey, and his old archdeaconry became a part of his latter bishopric of Winchester. At a meeting of the clergy at Clapham his chaplain told him that an old Dr. ——, who had been many years in the diocese, was vexed at having been forgotten.

"Yes," said the bishop, I have not the smallest recollection of him, but I will make it all right and will go out and speak to him. Which is he?" He was pointed out, and the bishop made his way to him;

"My dear Dr. ——. I have not had a moment for a real conversation with you. I need not ask how you are after all these years. Do you still ride your gray mare?"

"Yes, my lord. How good of you to remember her," etc.

The chaplain who was within earshot, said when he again came near the bishop.

"Then you did remember Dr —— after all?"

"Not a bit of it," said the bishop. "I saw the gray hairs on his coat and I chanced the animal's sex."—*Kegan Paul's Memoirs.*

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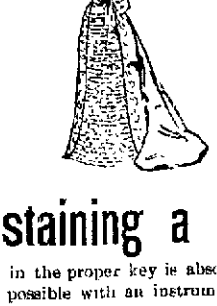

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